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BADLY INJURED.

S Farrar Kicked by a Bull Thursday

S Farrar had occasion to go to ... of Mr Sanford C Smith, on ... rect yesterday morning to look a ... ttle and as he was at the stall of ... the animal suddenly kicked him ... rrar was knocked down and then ... kicked him several times more ... was prostrate upon the floor ... arrar was badly wounded by the ... s hoofs His forehead and chin ... everely cut and bruised and his ... r was much hurt. He was at- ... by two physicians who made him ... fortable as possible, after he had ... ken to his home

MAINE MELANGE.

...ty-seventh Annual Dinner of ...doin Alumni Association.

County Grand Jury Report Sixty six Indictments.

Cumberland

New York Bowdoin Alumni ... held their twenty seventh ... dinner Wednesday night in the ... Covers were laid for 25 ... president of the associa- ... presided and the guests were Wm ... president of the coll ge ... Hatch F W Hawthorne ... Herbert F Gunnison ... addresses, as did G ... J Curtis Dr Frederi- ... Dillingham Letters of regret ... from Speaker Reed, Senator ... Chief Justice Fuller, all of ... alumni of the coll ge A let- ... regret was received from the poet, ... of Green Point, L I a ... of the class of 26 the second ... alumnus of the college

Knox

... Haven Mass dospatch ... A hundred and eighty cases of ... which constituted ... cargo of schooner G... ... here Dec 16, have ... the owners of the ... shipped to Rockland Me

York

... of Biddeford, a local ... Metropolitan Life In ... is missing Account- ... books to ascer ... Martin has a ...

... the York county ... Wednesday night con ... reporting sixty ... A joint indictment for ... Frank Palmer ... and Charles Day ... who are al ... fire to the ... Hobbs, the aged ... of West Parsonsfield An indict- ... Palmer with being prin- ... charging savage with ... was also reported ... indicted on charges ... Elroy Poland ... Oxford County ... Oak-Sinfo Pettier, ... M Chasse, of ... indictments were not ... liquor cases

... of Fairfield and ... well known ... have com- ... whereby they be- ... Kittery & York Beach railroad ... twenty five miles long ... York beach to ... through Kittery past ... navy yard ... This ... electric ... Journal ... by July 1st 97 ... of Maine granted the charter of the ... in 1893 ... by March next ... two States ... take on ... ferry will be in ...

VOLUNTARY ASSIGNMENT

Idend to Unsecured Creditors Will be Small

... Lincoln B ... merchant and dealer ... voluntary as- ... His liabilities are ... at $5,000 being se- ... His assets ... of land in ... The divi- ... creditors will be ... The first meeting of ... creditors will be ... Jan 13

LEAVE TO WITHDRAW

Sullivan's Petition to Legislature No Successful

... the joint special ... appointed ... by Hon J ... Isaac B Allen, ... Council, voted ... Mr Sullivan leave ... the way en- ... Allen to take the ... will be sworn ...

OLD TIME SHIPBUILDER

...th of John H Staples of South Eliot

... Jan 7 John H ... prominent resident of South ... his home in that town ... of pneumonia He was 75 ... years old and was one of the old time ... carpenters of the Piscataqua river, ... years he had been engaged in ... business He is survived by ... and a daughter

Telegraphic Notes

... from the City of Mexico an- ... death there of Major Gen- ... Miguel N gretic, one of the most ... brated military men of Mexico. He ... under Santa Ana, and fought ... against Gen Taylor ... several years as secretary of ...

... of Wm Bolthke in ... Wis, was burned ... Four of his children ... the flames Three children ... with difficulty.

... residence of Rev M L Jones, ... north of Pickens, S C, was ... Monday night His son El- ... and daughter Mary perished in the ...

MARINE JOURNAL.

DOMESTIC PORTS

... sch Addie ... for Machias ... Duncan, Fort de France. ... Ar sch Mary L Crosby ... bark Clara E McGilvery Nor ...

DIED.

... Jan 6 Adoniram C ... aged ... 11 mos and 20 days ... Saturday from corner of ... Streets

... Jan 8 Phyllis infant daughter of ... and Angela C Clifford, aged ... months ... days ... this forenoon at 11 o'clock.

... Jan 7, Orra, wife of Jeremiah ... aged 31 years ... announced later.

... Jan 7, at the corner of ... Sts Alice widow of the late ... aged 86 years

Brewer Jan 7 Mrs. Lizzie ... Trim, wife of the late James M. Trim, aged ... years ... Funeral announced later

Old People.

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In surgery there is the application of the X ray in determining complicated fractures.

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That wonderful set of nerves known as the sympathetic nervous system that knits every part of the body together and brings ... all ... and ... today as never before. Many persons are not aware that any such nerves exist. They do not know that nothing goes on in any part of the body that every other part does not instantly know of. The closeness of this sympathy is familiarly illustrated by headaches, indigestion, rheumatism, neuralgia, etc. About every case of sleeplessness, nervousness and dyspepsia is a sympathetic striking by brain, nerves or stomach, induced by the lowering of the general health.

People who think to get rid of these troubles by some one thing that disregards the general health of the body are on the wrong track. In getting such diseases as neuralgia and rheumatism out of the system Paine's celery compound proceeds at once to restore a normal appetite and regulate the nerves as the foundation for building up the health and vigor.

It regulates the bowels without delay and sees to it that the poisonous humors that are bursting through the skin in what are for purposes of classifying, called skin diseases, are given a ready outlet. On this basis of purified blood and regulated nerves the permanent cure of every form of blood disease, such as eczema, salt rheum, and complexion, is now assured by this really wonderful remedy.

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IMPORTER OF

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G. W. STEVENS.

Jan 2 1w

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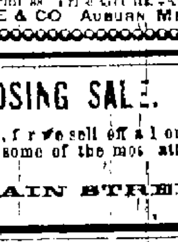

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A LONG DISCUSSION

Over the Pacific Railroads Funding Bill.

The House Devoted Nearly the Entire Day To The Subject.

No Quorum Present in Evening to Consider Pension Bills.

Washington Jan 8 In the House today upon the request of Mr Turner (Dem, Ga) a resolution was agreed to instructing the Attorney General to send to his last annual report full copies of all correspondence and telegrams between the department and public officials relative to the great railroad strike in Chicago in 1894 and the action of the government in suppressing the same. The House then went into committee of the whole to further consider the Pacific roads funding bill.

Mr Patterson (Dem Tenn.) opened the day's proceedings in a brief speech supporting the bill. He said he did not subscribe to the theory of the sentimental side of the controversy that the builders of these roads were great public benefactors in opening up a vast territory to the growth of the improvement and prosperity of the nation. There was another side which might be called the popular side, that held these men up to scorn as public robbers. He did not subscribe to that view either.

A Long Discussion of the Question Ensued

The committee rose and several executive communications were laid before the House. The House took a recess.

The evening session of the House, devoted to consideration of private pension bills was rendered of no avail tonight by absenteeism. At 10 30 the House adjourned.

A FIERCE STORM.

Raging Along the New England Coast—Vessels Seek Shelter

Nantucket Mass, Jan 8 A heavy northeaster prevails here tonight the wind blowing 30 to 40 miles per hour. At sunset a large two-masted schooner was sighted dragging in a dangerous position near the shore off Coskata. The government telephone line is down and no particulars can be learned tonight

Snow Threatened With the Gale

Highland Light, Mass, Jan 8 A brisk and increasing north east wind is blowing this evening and snow storm. Signals are displayed along the coast. Several schooners put into Provincetown

FIRE RECORD.

Blaze in Northampton Mass

Northampton, Mass Jan 8 Fire on Union block this morning caused a loss of about $11,000, insured

ATTEMPTED SUICIDE

Which Is Likely to Succeed

Concord N H, Jan 8 George Robbins an employe of the Boston & Maine railroad, and belonging ... attempted suicide by taking poison at the home of Charles Mitchell this morning. He is not expected to recover. There are said to be ... circumstances in the case that have not developed as yet

JACKSON DAY

Observed by Sound Money Democrats at Chicago

Chicago Jan 8 Members of the National Democratic party from the middle and western states assembled 300 strong tonight in the banquet hall of the Auditorium hotel to celebrate the victory of Andrew Jackson at New Orleans, as well as that over Bryan and free silver and to renew pledges of adherence to the Indianapolis platform Gen Buckner, of Kentucky Hon Charles S Hamlin assistant secretary of the treasury, and Hon Henry Watterson, of Louisville were present. President Cleveland and cabinet officers sent letters

MURDER CASE

Preliminary Hearing at Concord Mass

Concord Mass, Jan 8 A preliminary hearing was begun today in the case of Lorenzo Barnes, charged with the murder of John Dunn in Maynard December 17 Several witnesses testified up to noon when a recess was taken until 1 30 He was held

SUICIDE IN THE STREET

Purchased Poison and Drank It in Front of Store

Bridgeport, Conn, Jan 8 A man about 30 years old entered a drug store in Main street today and purchased half an ounce of carbolic acid. He said he wanted it to kill rats with. He walked out after obtaining the poison and drank it in front of the store. He immediately fell to the sidewalk unconscious and was carried to the Emergency Hospital. He did not regain consciousness and in 15 minutes was dead. Nothing was found on his person by which he could be identified.

WHEAT MARKET

The Features of the Day at Chicago

Chicago, Jan 8 At the opening this morning wheat broke two cents from the closing prices of yesterday, due partly to discouragement and loss of confidence among holders. Offers met with no response and as a result quotations dropped rapidly. May wheat opened from 82 to 81¾ and declined to 80½, at 10 5 a m holding at 80⅝. 1¼ c under yesterday's close

PLANS MATURED

For the Union Pacific Reorganization

New York Jan 8 It is understood that the Union Pacific reorganization committee has practically matured its plans for purchasing the indebtedness of the company to the government in the event of the failure of the funding bill. It is said that the plan of the syndicate will be to organize itself by the use of the bonds and stock allotted in the reorganization plan for dealing with the government debt. The present intention is not to increase the $15 assessment on the stock in case the plan is carried out.

A NEW PLAN

Being Considered by Fall River Mill Men

Fall River, Mass, Jan 8 Local mill men are to circulate a paper for signature to an agreement to curtail production two days a week. A plan to export one million pieces of the present stock of cloth, is also under consideration.

FAIR AND WARMER

And Northeasterly Winds Today

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU

Washington, Jan 8, 8 P M.

Indications:

Forecast for Saturday For New England, fair, warmer, northeasterly winds.

Local Forecast

Boston, Jan 8 Local forecast for Saturday Fair, warmer in the afternoon, northeast winds, fair and warmer Sunday, winds becoming southwest.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c.

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REFORMS IN CUBA

Formulated by Spain and to be Put Into Effect

As Soon as Important Provinces are Pacified and Crops are Assured.

Weyler in Favor Again in Spain—He Is Satisfied With Himself.

New York Jan 8 A morning paper today contained what purported to be terms of peace offered to the Spanish by the Cuban General Gomez. When the attention of Dr Castillo, of the Cuban delegation to this city was called to the article he denounced it as a base fabrication and declared that Gomez had no power to make such an offer.

An article in the constitution of the Cuban government he declared expressly stipulated that no negotiations could be opened with Spain that did not provide for complete independence. The president and legal two body of Cuba were the only ones empowered to negotiate with Spain.

Dr Castillo said Cuba's prospects were never more promising and declared that stories of disaffection in Cuban ranks were spun lies.

Trial of Somollian

Havana Jan 8 The trial of Louis Somellian, an American citizen on the charge of conspiring against the Spanish government ... this afternoon. The charge he was agent here of the Cuban Junta and was ... with others to overthrow the Spanish authority in Cuba

The court adjourned until tomorrow

A delegation waited upon Gen Weyler today to compliment him upon his conduct of the campaign. In replying Weyler said he ignored the attacks made upon him by certain newspapers in Madrid. These attacks were due to unjustifiable impatience. He was satisfied the campaign in Pinar Del Rio had given better results than was expected not only in the triumph over the rebels but in the small loss sustained by the army.

Hot-spell Gomez the rebel leader, was on the way to the province of Havana. Should he do so he would surely meet his end. Weyler said he attached no importance to the rumors that he was to be deprived of the command in Cuba.

In conclusion he recommended patience and prudence

Weyler Regains Favor

London Jan 8 The Standard's Madrid correspondent telegraphs that despite the critical tone of the press, Gen Weyler has certainly regained favor in official circles owing to the demonstrations in his favor yesterday in Havana

The correspondent adds the government had formulated decrees granting reforms which will be put into effect as soon as Weyler announces the pacification of the provinces of Havana and ... and the security of crops in half the island.

It is said ... the reforms ... will be placed under the direction of a ... of administration and everything concerning ... navy justice taxation and ... to remain ... by Spain.

The government expects the scheme will obtain a majority of the Cubans and remove the relations with the United States.

The Herald ... an instance of the destitution and sickness among the soldiers in Cuba says a ... in 100 ... here in November numbered only 100 at the end of that month.

THE BUSINESS REVIEW.

New Year Begins With Advantage of Unsound Concerns Swept Away.

New York Jan 8 R G Dunn & Co weekly review of trade will say. The year 1896 begins with one clear advantage. The past year has swept out of the way a great number of unsound concerns which in any time of activity would have been dangerous to business. Of the 15,088 commercial and banking failures in 1896 with liabilities of $226,096,834 ... large share represented crippling losses in previous years, or the violence of speculative storms in 1895 or the first half of 1896 while thousands more resulted from the fury of the political tornado of last fall.

Banking failures amounting to $50,708 ... during the year averaged ... 116 per cent larger than 1895 ... Commercial failures amount to $226,096 ... a little over $1,000,000 has been added by the last day of the year. The average of liabilities was $14,900 smaller than in some years of greater prosperity. The failure of broker ... agents and other commercial concerns averaged $ ... each increasing 183 per cent over 1895 manufacturing failures averaged $23,806 each an increase of 25 per cent and trading failures increased 18 per cent, and averaged only $9,006 each.

Over one fifth of the increase in manufacturing and trading failures was in lumber manufacturing 170 per cent, dry goods 50 woolen manufacturing, 161 clothing trade, 40 shoe trade, 87, leather and shoe manufacturing 10 ... grocery trade 33 machinery, 70, milling 11, furniture 90 printing 37 per cent. In ten other branches the increase was moderate in amount. In five with unclassified manufacturing and trading failures the liabilities were smaller than 1895.

While banking failures have not ceased wholly, apprehension about them has almost wholly subsided and no serious influence upon general trade is now expected. Many sound concerns were doubtless caught by the epidemic and practically all important failures are traced to disregard of law and banking sense at periods somewhat distant

THE ABBIE NUTTER CASE.

Continuation of Hearing at Wiscasset in a Peculiar Affair

Wiscasset Me Jan 8 At an adjourned hearing in the Abbie Nutter case for the appointment of a guardian, the court room was packed to its utmost capacity. Miss Ourish Miss Nutter's cousin who brought the suit testified to going to the Dodge house with Dr Peaslee last fall and that Abbie was examined as to her physical and mental condition. Dr Peaslee did not see her alone Miss Dodge being in the room. As a result of the examination Dr Peaslee stated that he considered Miss Nutter incapable of managing her affairs

Miss Shortwell, a grand-daughter of Mrs Dodge who had visited at the Dodge house two weeks at a time, said that Abbie did not sit at the table while she was there

She used to go to her room by climbing a ladder sometimes and when she used the stairs she used to wear men's socks, as she supposed to save the carpet

Wm Nutter, a cousin of Abbie, went to the Dodge house several times and was told that Abbie was not there. He saw a looking out the door and told Mrs Dodge so, when Abbie was brought out and he had a conversation with her, but was not allowed to see her alone

Abbie Nutter was placed on the stand and examined to ascertain whether she was of sound mind. The impression is that a guardian will not be appointed.

The court adjourned till tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

NEW POSTMASTER

Appointed for Bonny Eagle

Washington, Jan. 8. The following fourth-class postmaster was appointed for Maine: S. E. Thayer, at Bonny Eagle, vice A. G. Davis, resigned.

ALDRICH DECLINES

To Become Secretary of the Treasury in New Cabinet.

Report that the Said Office was Offered Him by Maj. McKinley.

Other Phases of Latest Gossip Regarding Cabinet Possibilities.

New York Jan 8 A Washington special says It is stated that Senator Aldrich, of Rhode Island is now Maj McKinley's choice for Secretary of the Treasury. It is said by Mr Aldrich's friends that the same reasons which caused Senator Allison to decline the same place will operate with Senator Aldrich and cause him to prefer his seat in the Senate

Senator Aldrich will not talk on the subject

A Washington special to another paper says Senator Aldrich was offered the secretaryship of the Treasury a few days ago. He declined because he prefers to stay in the Senate. Mr. Aldrich is himself authority for this statement

DESTRUCTIVE WILSON BILL

Further Testimony of Disaster Wrought by Democratic Monstrosity

Washington Jan 8 At the tariff hearing today Samuel B ... representing the window glass makers of Pittsburg ... In those he presented required an addition ... to compete with foreign ... The effects of the Wilson bill have been disastrous to the workmen and the trade, the workmen being forced to accept a reduction of from ... to 25 per cent in wages soon after its passage. Under the McKinley law their wages averaged about $70 per month for ... weeks per year, while under the present law the average was about ... per month for 31 weeks.

John W Morgan, of Irelton N J, spoke for the pottery people of his state. The operators of that state were in a condition far worse than the laborers in any other country. Their weekly earnings prior to the passage of the Wilson bill were $11 40 per week, under that their wages were reduced to $4 03 per week. It was utterly impossible to compete with foreign labor.

L A Stevenson of East Liverpool, Ohio, spoke of the potteries of the West. Their condition was much the same as that of the New Jersey workmen.

Since the passage of the Wilson bill ... and they are only able to eke out a miserable existence. If protection is not given ... feared for the future of the Republican party

Representative Taylor of Ohio spoke for manufacturing ... What they wanted he said, was recognition by Congress of the difference in wages paid the workmen here and abroad.

... was the only great industry which had not been given a fair chance on American soil. He showed specimens of ... Japanese cups ... which could be sold in New York at a price far below the cost here to decorate. Japan ... was becoming a great competitor. His line ... with labor costing but 18 or 20 cents per day ... would drive other countries either to barbarism or protection

He exhibited specimens of fine ware made in New Jersey which he said was equal in texture and art to any in the world. These goods are so fine that it required an American stamp to convince experts they were made in this country. Mr Taylor said there were ... potters' association which made rates. It did not limit the output or prevent ... potters from selling at whatever price they desired. He spoke of undervaluation being practiced in the importations of goods from ... and ... asked for specific rates of duty on pottery ... If that is not possible, he desired compound rates

Chairman Dingley called attention to the fact that in 1896 there had been a increase in ... goods ... over 1893 while the revenue for the latter year was greater.

A C Wiggin secretary of the New England Crockery Association advocated the retention of the present rates of duty. He said he was an importer. He could give no information regarding undervaluation but did not think it was practiced to any extent.

Representative Sorg of Ohio, at the request of the Pinel ... Co, ... asked to have the tubes used in making their ... placed on the free list. The tubes were not made in this country and the duty increased the cost of the product to the consumer.

L C Partridge, of Rutland Vt desired a duty on marble. Being a luxury he said it was a proper commodity upon which to raise a revenue. A duty on the higher grades of foreign marble had the effect of reducing the price of the domestic product

D M Stewart, of Chattanooga, Tenn, a manufacturer of lava gas tips advocated a specific duty of 50 cents per gross on importations of lava tips

The committee adjourned until tomorrow.

A DANGEROUS GANG.

Counterfeiters Captured by Secret Service Detectives

Detroit Mich Jan 8 Alfred Deveraux, a photographer, was arrested by secret service officers charged with being the leader of the gang of photographic counterfeiters which they have been trying to run down

Four others were arrested recently and Deveraux completes the chain. The officers think they have corralled one of the most dangerous counterfeiting gangs in the country. They found a complete photographic counterfeiting apparatus

Band Captured

New Haven Conn Jan 8 The police captured tonight a small band of counterfeiters and believe that one is the notorious "Counterfeit Jack"

BANKER MISSING

Owes Money and Left Under a Cloud

Hartford Conn Jan 8 A U Martin of Martin & Co bankers and brokers, doing business on Grove street is missing. He was last seen Tuesday when it is said he left for Cleveland where he has a brother. He carried all his personal effects from the office. At the Heublein Hotel it was stated that he left there under a cloud. He owes about $125 to parties there. It is said that financial troubles are at the bottom of Mr Martin's absence

BUYING 'EM UP

Messrs Libby and Gerald in a Big Scheme

Portsmouth, N H, Jan 8. The franchise of the Portsmouth Electric Railway was sold today to I C Libby, of Waterville, and A F Gerald, of Fairfield, who recently acquired the charter of the Kittery and York Beach Electric R R. The new road is expected to be operated by July 1. The line will comprise a steam ferry between this city and Kittery

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Ara Warren.

Why not profit by the experience of others who have found a permanent cure for catarrh in Hood's Sarsaparilla?

CASTORIA

The fac-simile signature of ... is on every wrapper.

FOREIGN NEWS.

Relief for Famine Sufferers in India

London, Jan 8 At the request of Lord George Hamilton secretary of state for India the Rt Hon George F Faudel Phillips, Lord Mayor of London has started a fund for the relief of the sufferers of the famine in India and large sums of money are being subscribed

Death of a Man of Influence

Vienna Jan 8 Stephen Von Papay, chief of the private chancellerie of Emperor Francis Joseph died today. He was credited with having powerful influence with the emperor

ONE DEAD TWO DYING

And Five Badly Cut Up As Result of Fight

Scranton, Pa Jan 8 A Hungarian christening at Mayfield yesterday had the usual bloody ending. As a result of a fight one is dead and two are dying and five ... badly carved

AMUSEMENTS

The Gormans

The Gormans will appear at the Opera House next Monday night in their popular farce comedy The Gilhooly's Abroad. The Gorman brothers give an amusing and interesting entertainment in their new departure and have renewed the fame once accorded them in the minstrel line. The play affords opportunity for the introduction of a number of songs, dances and interesting incidents. Many good features in the production are received with much applause. The Gilhooly's Abroad is full of mirth and as interpreted by the Gorman brothers and the clever company with which they have surrounded themselves will undoubtedly be greeted with large houses during the engagement here

The Prisoner of Zenda

A very welcome announcement by the local management is that concerning the coming production of "The Prisoner of Zenda," a very popular play of the period. It enjoyed a run of two hundred nights in New York where the theatre could not begin to accommodate the crowds who wished to see it. It has been the sensation of the tour wherever it has been presented and it is now the reigning success of the London stage. It is a play of love and adventure, and its atmosphere is that of genuine romance, in which the stage finds pre-eminently its proper sphere of ... To entertain ... is little need to refer to the plot in detail for everyone is familiar with Anthony Hope's delightful story from which it was dramatized. The play is produced by arrangement with Daniel Frohman Manager of the Lyceum Theatre New York and under ... elaborate production is promised Thursday evening of next week

Foot Ball Notes

There is a point concerning Harvard foot ball on which all are agreed to wit, that Capt Wrightington's team was woefully ... last season. Now that ... is a Yale game apparently Harvard men are asking what is to be done next season.

Though the Yale Harvard agreement still hangs fire there are other matters of import now which the athletic committee will have to take up ... It is not improbable that an entirely new system of developing a foot ball team will be adopted by the wise men who are supposed to look out for Harvard's athletic interests.

Undergraduates and graduates alike condemn the policy which brought four defeats to the crimson this year and a determined effort is being made to place the game on a substantial basis. With this end in view it is understood that the athletic committee and Capt Cabot will favor a return to the programme in vogue during Bob Emmons' year as captain.

Since that time there has been no system regarding coaching. The thing has gone along in a sort of haphazard way. Last year the season opened with no head coach. Bob Emmons took the title later on for a while but was glad to resign in favor of Mr Deland after the Princeton game. Mr Deland had a system and he went about his work in a business like manner. One strong point in his favor being that he had the full confidence of the players. Mr Deland pulled the defeated team together and under his able direction made a gallant fight against Pennsylvania.

Mr Waters has had his season. He carried out his own ideas in his own way and his season was a disappointment. One of his pet hobbies was the building up of the defence. Harvard did have a remarkably strong defence but her offensive game was sadly neglected. There were other faults which have been pointed out during the past season but the old timers and the members of the athletic committee are willing to let bygones be bygones, and are now looking forward to the season of 1897 and the possibility of a victory over Yale.

It is understood that the Harvard athletic committee will, at its next meeting, appoint a new head for the coaching department, and it is very probable that there will be a return to the system in vogue in 1894

Supper for the Reds

On Thursday evening of next week the turkey supper will be served at the Y. M. C. A. building for the Reds who won the recent membership contest over the Yellows. The Yellows will act as waiters as a penalty for losing the contest. The supper will be served at 6 15 o'clock and the guests will be enjoyably entertained by Miss Agnes M Safford, of Deering, the well known reader who has been heard in Bangor a number of times always with great pleasure. Miss Safford will read a number of selections upon that occasion and her presence will greatly add to the enjoyment of the occasion. After the supper and readings an opportunity will be given to attend the basket ball game in the Y M C A Hall between the Bath and Bangor teams.

New Advertisements

George W Stevens now offers a fine line of Hamburgs, 2,000 pieces. See advertisement.

Delicious candy cheap today at Eaton's.

Clean, healthy meats at Lynch's market. See advertisement.

Pearl & Dennett offer the desirable house at Broadway and So. Park street for rent.

18 cent day at Freese's.

Get a stoneware bean pot at P. H. Vose & Co's

See notice of handsome presents given by Tea White with tea.

See what E. N. Fairbanks says on life insurance.

Hon. Albion Little, of Portland, and Col. S. W. Cornwell, of Cherry field, Eastern Maine Insane Hospital commissioners, were in the city yesterday.

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MASONIC MEETING

Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite January 28th

Owing to the illness of two of the officers the meeting for conferring the degrees in the Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite will be held on Thursday January 28th at 3 30 p m. All ... should be in before January 15

SUPREME JUDICIAL COURT

January Term 1897

Chief Justice Peters presiding.
Ro... Sheriff.
Charles ... Crier.
Charles F Sweet Clerk.

Friday January 8th

Walter Blanchard vs Joel Richardson

In this case the plaintiff sues to recover for damages to his burial lot in North Newport, and he says that said defendant entered upon his said lot and erected a monument without his consent that in so doing the defendant removed the turfing and committed other wrongful acts. Defendant says he did erect the monument but he did so with the permission of William J Richardson, owner of the lot

Verdict for Defendant

Towns ... for plaintiff

Young and Gillin for defendant

On Trial

Joel Richardson vs Walter Blanchard

Plaintiff sues to recover damages for a trespass which he says was committed on his real estate by the defendant's cattle

Withdrawn from jury and plaintiff nonsuit

Young and Gillin for plaintiff

Towns ... for defendant

Base Ball

Manager Burnham of the Brockton ball club has signed G R Hall, a pitcher, who played last season with the Beardstown Iowa club. Hall is said to be a clever player and is highly recommended by First Baseman Kelley.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

Monetary Quotations.

New York, Jan 8 Money on call has been easy at ... per cent; last loan ... closed ... Prime mercantile paper ... Bar silver 65⅛ ... Sterling exchange ... Government bonds ... Railroad bonds ...

[illegible stock quotations]

New York Produce Market.

New York, Jan 8 Flour—receipts ... exports ... sales ... barrels ... market dull ... Winter wheat ... Minnesota ... patents ... Southern flour ... Rye flour ... Buckwheat flour ... Corn meal—quiet, steady yellow western ... Rye ... Barley ... Wheat ... Corn ... Oats ...

Chicago Produce Market.

Chicago Jan 8 Flour—dull ... hard wheat bakers ... soft wheat bakers ... Wheat—... Corn—No 2 ... Oats—No 2 ...

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The annual meeting of the shareholders of the Eastern Trust and Banking Company of Bangor will be held at their Banking Rooms Monday, January 18, 1897 at 4 o'clock p m for the choice of Trustees and the transaction of any other business that may properly come before them.

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MERCHANTS INSURANCE COMPANY.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Merchants Insurance Company will be held at its office in Bangor on Wednesday the 20th instant, at 3 o'clock p m, for the choice of Directors and the transaction of such other business as may legally come before them.

... H SNOW, Secretary

Bangor January 6th, 1897

AXES.

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Whig and Courier

BY BOUTELLE BROTHERS.

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SATURDAY, JANUARY, 9, 1897.

The Shoe Factory.

The special committee of the City Government to consider the shoe factory appropriation reported at a special meeting called for the purpose Friday evening. It appears that the Boston concern has withdrawn its offer and the committee reported in favor of the construction of the factory on the city lot to be used by Messrs. Parker & Peakes. The committee further recommended an appropriation of $15,000 to erect the building, said sum to go into the taxes of next year.

Naturally the question of legality was discussed when the proposition came before the Board of Aldermen in the form of a resolve making the appropriation of $15,000. The Mayor was asked if it was competent for the City Government to appropriate money to be assessed in the taxes of the coming municipal year, and he declared that in his opinion it could be done. Some of the members differed with him on this point, as well as the main issue, namely, the right of the city to make any appropriation for the purpose. Alderman Glass took the only sensible course when he introduced an order referring the matter to the City Solicitor for his opinion. Mr. Glass is in perfect accord with other citizens as to the desirability of another factory, but when it comes to the expenditure of city funds for an unusual purpose he desires the opinion of the City's regularly elected legal adviser.

The order asking for said opinion was given a passage in both boards and of course nothing further will be done in the matter until it is known just what can be lawfully done. The Mayor's arrangement of the City Solicitor in his address before the joint convention was in poor taste and was not warranted by the facts. The city must do its business in accordance with law and the law was furnished by the City Solicitor at the request of the City Government.

Getting Light.

It is gratifying to note that the editorial department of the Boston Herald is now able to take a more reasonable view of the tariff question. The Herald says there can be no question that the business outlook is very much better than it was a year ago. The only questions to stand in the way of the "new conditions of confidence" are "the possibility of trouble over Cuba, and the uncertainty as to what an extra session of Congress may bring forth." Concerning the latter the Herald thinks "it is becoming "more and more shadowy," and as to the former it should be remembered that tariff revision in the direction of higher duties has never the disturbing influence on business which attends the change to lower duties." It concludes, therefore, that so far as the extra session is concerned could "action be confined to an increase of tariff rates the disturbance would be comparatively immaterial." This is a great improvement over much of the editorial discussion of the tariff that has appeared in the Herald. We congratulate our contemporary upon its new light.

Deputy Secretary of State.

There may be some man in the State with more friends than Hon. Sumner T. Chadbourne, but if so it would be difficult to name him. Both as Secretary of State and Deputy Secretary he has served the people with fidelity and zeal, always at his post and always ready to do anything in his power to aid any member of the Legislature who had business with his department. In the selection of State officers we doubt if any announcement will give as general satisfaction as that from Secretary of State Boyd to the effect that Mr. Chadbourne was restored to his old position as Deputy. In this decision Mr. Boyd has not only pleased the people, but has displayed a degree of wisdom that augurs well for the success of his administration. He will have associated with him a man entirely familiar with the work of the office, one who can be depended upon to discharge his duties in the most efficient manner, who will at all times be loyal to his chief and at the same time devoted to the interests of the State. Everyone will be delighted to see "Chad," as he is known to the most of his friends, back at his old desk once more.

Public Printer.

Editor Burleigh is receiving congratulations upon his election as the Public Printer of the State. The office is a new one so far as Maine is concerned. Heretofore the public printing has supposed to be given to the lowest bidder, but as it has been deemed essential that the work should be done in Augusta the bidding of outside firms was a matter of useless form. Under the new law the Legislature elects a State Printer who is held responsible for the prompt and economical work pertaining to the department. For this office Mr. C. B. Burleigh was unanimously nominated and elected. He is one of the proprietors and Managing Editor of the Kennebec Journal, is entirely familiar with the work of the department and we have no doubt will perform the duties in a manner satisfactory to all concerned.

The Election Law.

In his inaugural Governor Powers calls attention to our election law. As our readers know THE WHIG has never favored the present system of the voting, the features of which still continue to confuse the people, notwithstanding the fact that they have had sufficient time in which to become familiar with it. The Governor says:

"From some cause there is an alarmingly large number of defective ballots under our present election laws. From the best obtainable information I am convinced that nearly five thousand persons failed to vote correctly at the last September election and were consequently disfranchised.

"It stands to reason that any system of voting that disfranchises several thousand citizens in every State election is radically wrong. We were told that the people would soon master the details of the existing law and then there would be no trouble. But this is exactly what the people have not succeeded in doing. Men go to the polls in election after election, laboriously mark their ballot and think they have discharged the right of suffrage only to find later that they have simply thrown a worthless piece of paper in the ballot box by reason of some defect in marking.

"We agree with some of our contemporaries, however, in claiming that there should be no further attempts made at patching up the existing system. The law is bad enough as it is and any more changes will only add to the confusion. The sensible thing to do would be to repeal it and restore the old system. Either do that or let the law alone.

Dull Politically.

Senator Hill has not been saying much for some time past, but he now emerges from his obscurity long enough to remark that "Bryan is dead, beyond political resurrection." In this instance we think Senator Hill is a prophet. There was nothing to Bryan's candidacy. His nomination was an emotional one and afforded him a brief period of notoriety, but one sees evidence on every hand that even the silver wing of the party has had enough of him. He may continue for a short time to attract more or less attention, but before another convention comes he will have disappeared from the political field. It was thought that the fame of his Presidential canvass would make him a drawing card in the lecture field, but his tour was a dismal failure in every sense of the word. He has no ability as a lecturer and the people manifested no interest in him as soon as he ceased to be a Presidential possibility.

Circulating False Reports.

[Wash. Cor. Boston Journal.]

Congressman Boutelle is naturally indignant at an intimation published in a local paper that he has been "an avowed candidate" for the position of Secretary of the Navy in President McKinley's Cabinet, and that he is now engaged in a "lively struggle" for that or some other Cabinet position. If Mr. Boutelle has been "an avowed candidate" he has certainly succeeded in keeping it very quiet and in view of the fact that on his visit to Canton, immediately after election, he urged upon Mr. McKinley the eminent qualification of ex-Governor Dingley, of Maine, for the Treasury portfolio, it is difficult to see how he could be anxious for an appointment for himself. Mr. Boutelle, in conversation with the Journal correspondent, today, said:

"I have always held and freely stated my belief that no man should be a candidate or have his name pressed upon a President for a Cabinet position, as the relation between the Executive and his official advisers are of so delicate a character that he should be permitted to exercise an absolutely untrammeled choice in surrounding himself by the heads of his Administration, and I can conceive nothing more unseemly than for any person to take part in a struggle for such a position. It is therefore hardly necessary for me to say that I have never been in any sense a candidate for any position in the Cabinet, and that no human being has ever had an intimation of the kind, either directly or indirectly, from me."

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RICHARD S. DOW,

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ANNUAL MEETING.

The Stockholders of the Union Insurance Company are hereby notified that their annual meeting will be held at their office, No. 12 Exchange Street, in Bangor, on Friday, the 15th day of January, 1897, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the choice of directors and to transact any other business legally before said meeting.

E. S. BURR, Secretary.

Bangor, January 6th, 1897.

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Penobscot ss. January 1st, A. D. 1897.

This is to give notice that on the twenty-ninth day of December, A. D. 1896, a warrant in insolvency was issued out of the Court of Insolvency for said County of Penobscot against the estate of William H. Cowan, being found to be an Insolvent Debtor, on petition of said debtor, which petition was filed on the twenty-eighth day of December, A. D. 1896; to which last named date interest on claims is to be computed; that the payment of any debts and the delivery and transfer of any property belonging to said debtor, to him or for his use, and the delivery and transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the creditors of said debtor, to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a court of Insolvency, to be held at the Probate Court room, in Bangor, in said County, on the twenty-first day of January, A. D. 1897, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Given under my hand the date first above written.

F. E. FOSTER, Deputy Sheriff

As Messenger of said Court.

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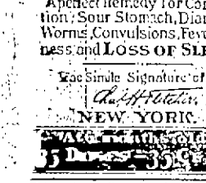

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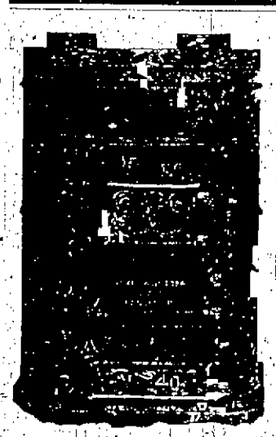

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THE CUBAN QUESTION.

Mr. Taylor, American Minister at Madrid, Consulted

Regarding Porto Rico Reforms as Practical for Cuba.

New York, Jan. 8.—A Washington dispatch to the Journal says: Secretary of State Olney has received a dispatch from the American minister, Hannis Taylor, in Madrid, announcing that the Spanish minister of foreign affairs, the Duke of Tetuan, had formally invited him to give an opinion of the Porto Rico reforms as a practical means of self-government for Cuba.

Mr. Taylor declares the scheme to be worthless. The Duke of Tetuan then asked Mr. Taylor his opinion of the greater reforms for Cuba promised in the preamble to the declaration of Porto Rico reforms. The American minister replied that the reforms were too vague to inspire any confidence in America. He urged the Spanish government to make a definite declaration of its purpose to grant full local self-government to Cuba. Coupled with complete reforms, such a basis for negotiating peace.

Secretary Olney was delighted at the news that Spain had at last officially recognized the competitive right of the American government in the settlement of the Cuban war.

He at once laid Minister Taylor's message before the President. After a conference with Mr. Cleveland, Secretary Olney called to Minister Taylor's aid, "Your opinion entirely approved" and instructing the minister to urge upon the Spanish government the necessity for prompt action.

The importance of this news can hardly be exaggerated. It is the first step towards the acceptance of American mediation.

WASHINGTON NEWS.

Continuation of the Tariff Hearings.

Washington, Jan. 8.—The ways and means committee today heard reports of the earthenware, glassware, metal and stone industries. E. W. Walker, of Beaver Falls, Pa., the first speaker, advocated a change in the section of the present law relating to the importing in new classification with specific duties. On plates now paying 25 per cent. ad valorem he desired a duty of 2 cents per pound for four cents per pound and on the higher grades, now paying 40 per cent., he requested a duty of 20 cents per square foot for six cents per pound.

Most of the glass now imported were undervalued and were brought in under the 25 per cent. rate. The duties he asked would give the industry the required protection, yield more revenue and simplify the collections.

R. W. Leslie, of Philadelphia, advocated the retention of the present duty on China.

C. Arlington, of Xenia, Ohio, asked for all of the glass blown in Illinois the restoration of the McKinley rates on it.

E. M. Agard, of Steubenville, Ohio, a glass blower, said that the American workmen had been driven to the wall by the present tariff law, wages had been cut down, wages reduced and the hours of work increased. Under the McKinley law the industry prospered and at the same time the cost of bottles was reduced 25 per cent. Under present conditions it was getting more and more difficult for the American glass blowers to hold their own against the cheap labor of Europe. The wheel always was simply a fortune for him and injured no one.

The present duty had in no way benefited the consumer, and it had almost ruined the workmen. It was simply taking from those who had little to give to those who had much. The business of glass blowing was a hard one at the close, engaged in it at risks in the work is worse considered. He must unhesitatingly be for a schedule of specific duties. He had an interest in a glass house, but the sales and book records showed that the average age at death among glass blowers was 38 years.

The chief of the Wilson bill was not a matter of speculation. Where that came down, workmen had left the business, families were made long and many and walked the streets suffering from the necessities of life.

W. J. Smith, of Pittsburg, spoke for the workmen in flint and lime glass ware, the branch of the glass industry employing the greatest number of laborers, and having the largest capital. He asked for protection for the flint glass products in order that the industry might live and employment be given the idle workmen. Bohemia, with the cheapest labor, was the great competitor. Germany, where the wages were only one-third of what they were here, came next.

The flint industry needed stimulation now more than ever before and in his opinion the duties given should exceed those in the McKinley law. The exclusive glass ware which was being imported, laid down in this country at a price less than the labor on them cost. From 75 to 85 per cent. of all cost of making flint and lime glass was in the labor. He said that he knew nothing of natural gas in manufacture.

W. E. Doeringer, of New York, representing the cut glass manufacturers, asserted, said a high tariff on cut glass was necessary in order to compete successfully with the wares produced by cheap foreign labor. In the United States they were averaged $18 per week, in England $8, in Belgium $5, and in other countries even lower.

Foreign makers had resident agents in the United States, to whom goods were consigned, and they always manipulated the domestic makers. The foreign price of these goods could not be ascertained, but he was confident a system in the system of undervaluation was being practiced. To check this fraud specific instead of ad valorem duties necessary.

F. L. Bellis, of Philadelphia, a manufacturer of cylinder window glass and green and flint bottles, said the effect of the present law had been to allow wages, close factories and hamper merely the domestic makers. From 50 to 100 per cent. of the cost of this product represented foreign labor. American competition had reduced the price of the ware and between 1890 and 1896 when American competition had been diminished the cost had advanced about 33 per cent.

The importation of foreign glass was unnecessary, as the mills of this country were able to supply the home demand and would do so if the labor alone was given the requisite protection. The Belgian manufacturers, he understood, were deliberately to supply this market, and in order to do so, were willing to put their goods here even at a loss. Under these conditions he thought it reasonable and just as necessary to have rates not lower than those fixed in the McKinley law.

FLOODS IN MISSOURI.

One Man and Five Children Drowned.

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 8.—A special from Plato, Mo., says that one man and five children were drowned in Texas county last Saturday as a result of the floods in that country. Thomas Wilson, accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. Kinney, and her five children, attempted to ford Prairie creek, which was very high. The team became unmanageable and soon lost. Reach foothold. The wagon weighed off with its load of human freight sank in the mud and the sideboards floating away, the whole party were thrown into the water.

Mr. Wilson and Mrs. Kinney succeeded in getting to the shore but the children were drowned. Three of the bodies were recovered Saturday. Daniel McGutherin was drowned the same way while trying to cross Mill Creek.

THE COLLEGE PRESIDENTS.

Resolutions Regarding Foot Ball Adopted.

Madison, Wis., Jan. 8.—The meeting of the Western university presidents which has been in session here for the last two days ended last night. Before adjourning they adopted the following resolution on foot ball:

Whereas, The representatives of the state universities here assembled are of the opinion that inter-collegiate athletics in general and football in particular should be subjected to more careful and constant supervision, therefore be it

Resolved, That a committee consisting of President C. K. Adams of the University of Wisconsin, President A. S. Draper of Illinois and President J. H. Snow of Kansas, be appointed to report such rules as they deem wise to be recommended for the consideration of the several institutions with which they are connected.

The members of the body expressed themselves as favoring some modification but were opposed to any radical action.

EVIDENCE OF FOUL PLAY.

Dead Body of Man Found in Railroad Yard.

Port Jervis, N. Y., Jan. 8.—The dead body of Wm. Speidel, aged 21 years, was found this morning in the yard of the Erie railroad. The body was frozen stiff and bore evidence of foul play. A white handkerchief was stuffed in the mouth. The pockets of the young man's clothing had been turned inside out and a watch which he carried was missing.

AFFAIRS IN JAPAN.

The Old Problem of Capital and Labor Giving Trouble.

A Great Deal of Unrest and Some Disloyalty Among Chinese.

San Francisco, Jan. 8.—Advices from Yokohama by the steamer Doric have reached here. The trial of Mr. Carew for the murder of his wife by poisoning was set to commence in the Brunswick, Yokohama. The prisoner is defended by H. S. Williams, the ex-United States minister, who has had much to do in conducting the case. Belligerent feeling is said to be manifested by the Japanese in the case. The Old Question of Capital and Labor.

Trouble with the Chinese.

Statement of Foreign Relations.

Continued Trouble in Illinois.

AGAIN BROKEN OUT.

Sensational Reports of the Mining Troubles in Illinois.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 8.—The mining troubles in Illinois have broken out afresh in several places, but not to such an extent as yesterday, when, according to the reports, almost ten thousand men were idle. The city and all the evening. The miners, who numbered over 7,000, have been upon a strike against the new tariff weights for nearly two months and are in a starving condition. There seemed to be a feeling of unrest among the miners. The deputies are guarding the buildings of the company and guarding Manager Blake and his clerks, who are under cover. The deputies are guarding Blake's residence. It is feared that in the fight on the end of the week it is certain that loss of life will result.

BUSINESS MATTERS.

Banks of St Paul and Minneapolis Rapidly Reorganizing.

St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 8.—The banks of St. Paul and Minneapolis continue to recover rapidly from the effect of the failure of the Bank of St. Paul. Two of the leading banks of St. Paul have been fully reorganized and the reorganization will be completed with all possible speed. The committee appointed by the directors of the bank of Minnesota to confer with the bank of Minnesota, with President Wm. Dawson, president, and Wm. Dawson, director of the bank, and obtained from detailed accounts of the method of the bank as they could furnish them. This committee represents the parties who had on deposit more than $100 and are willing to act together in the matter of reorganization. The committee expects to have a report to the depositors shortly which will eventually receive 70 cents on the dollar.

A serious question now facing the city and county is how to raise funds with which to carry on the current business. In round figures after the city and county funds are in the suspended banks $300,000 of which $217,000 belongs to the city and $83,000 to the county.

LABOR TOO HIGH.

Shoe Factory May Move from Stoneham.

Stoneham, Mass., Jan. 8.—A. J. Cummings & Co., one of the large shoe manufacturing firms of Stoneham, may be induced to locate in New Hampshire. This firm occupies the John Hill factory and employs the John Hill factory, which is the largest shoe manufacturing establishment in Stoneham, and employs about 550 people. Claim is made that the cost of labor is too high here and that other inducements are able to maintain the factory.

The high price of labor and the impossibility of obtaining better prices for shoes has made it very difficult for them to be continued to get the work done cheaper. This the firm says it is unable to do in Stoneham and asks for relief elsewhere.

An individual representing no one but himself has proposed to Mr. Mann that if he would expect to build a factory in Stoneham, but Mr. Mann has given no sign that he considers this an advantageous. A conference was today held in Boston between Mr. Mann, one of the executive committee and two delegates from the three labor organizations in the town.

Love is the keystone of a woman's life. Her fondest hopes rest upon the tender emotion; her highest pride is in her capacity to awaken the love which makes a happy wife; her noblest ambition is to become a loved and loving mother. Any weakness or disease which thus paralyzes her to fulfill the exalted function of motherhood is the saddest blight which can come upon a woman's life.

But there is no reason in nature why any hindrances or disarrangements of this kind exist. Nearly none of them are completely cured by natural and scientific means. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, a powerful, healthy tonic and invigorating cordial, makes weak women strong, sick women well, and imparts to them the vigor and bloom of perfect health. It promotes the functions, cures irregularity, suppression, prolapsus, anteversion, retroversion, leucorrhœa, excessive flowing, painful menstruation, bearing-down pains, and all the kindred ailments which are so common to women. It is a powerful, invigorating cordial, and a most valuable tonic, imparting strength to the whole system and to the uterine organs in particular. It makes the weak strong and the sick well. It is the only medicine for women, sold by druggists, guaranteed to give satisfaction in every case, or money refunded. For "Weak Women" it is the best medicine. Sick headache, dizziness, nervous prostration, general debility, sleeplessness, and kindred forms of female weakness are promptly cured by Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Purgative Pellets. One a dose. Sugar-coated, small, easy to take.

HEADQUARTERS A. O. U. W.

The annual meeting of Kenduskeag Notch, No. 11, will be held at their lodge room, Friday, January 8th, 1897, at 7.30 o'clock p. m., for the transaction of such business that may properly come before the lodge.

GEORGE H. BRIGGS, Secretary.

Bangor, Dec. 11, 1896.

BREWER ADVERTISEMENTS

When you want a good CIGAR, call for the GENUINE PLASTRIC

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INSURANCE

I have the honor to inform the insurance public that I have taken the agency of the Phoenix Insurance Co., of Hartford, Conn., and Fire and Marine Insurance Co. of Boston, Mass., and am prepared to write insurance on goods and vessels.

Brewer, Jan. 7, 1897.

OARS AND

Having purchased the business formerly conducted by Mr. Wilson, I am prepared to supply the trade with oars, paddles, etc.

WM. ONSTRICT.

Brewer, Nov. 21, 1896.

RAILROADS

MAINE CENTRAL

ARRANGEMENT OF TRAINS

In Effect Dec. 7, 1896.

Until further notice trains will run as follows:

GOING WEST.

5.30 A.M.—For Bucksport, Belfast, Rockland, Bangor, St. John and all points beyond. Mail and express.

6.05 A.M.—For Oldtown, Mattawamkeag, Houlton, Woodstock, St. Stephen, St. John and points beyond. Mixed.

11.20 A.M.—For Bangor and points beyond. Express.

12.30 P.M.—Mixed for Oldtown and points beyond.

4.40 P.M.—Fast Express through Bangor for all points beyond.

7.00 P.M.—For Bangor and points beyond. Mixed.

GOING EAST.

7.15 A.M.—For all points on Newport for Dover and Foxcroft, Head Lake, Dexter, Corinna, Dover, Foxcroft, Greenville, Kineo, Rockwood, Millinocket, Patten, Houlton, Vanceboro, Princeton, Calais, St. Stephen, St. John, Fredericton, Woodstock, Houlton, Aroostook County points, Quebec and points beyond.

12.15 P.M.—Mixed for Oldtown and points in Aroostook County.

2.40 P.M.—Fast Express through Bangor for all points beyond.

5.00 P.M.—For Dover and Foxcroft, Greenville, Kineo, Rockwood, Millinocket, Patten, Houlton, Vanceboro, Princeton, Calais, St. Stephen, St. John, Fredericton, Woodstock, Houlton, Aroostook County points, Quebec and points beyond.

ARRIVAL.

Through trains will arrive as follows:

8.00 A.M.—For Bucksport, Belfast, Rockland, Bangor, St. John and all points beyond. Mail and express.

11.25 P.M.—Express from St. John, Fredericton, Houlton, Woodstock, Oldtown and points beyond.

BUCKSPORT.

Trains leave Bangor for Bucksport at 7.15 A.M. (except Saturday), 5.00 P.M. (except Saturday), 6.20 P.M. Saturdays only, 8.30 A.M., 5.00 and 6.20 P.M. Sundays.

MT. DESERT.

Trains leave Bangor for Bar Harbor at 7.15 A.M. (except Saturday), 2.40 P.M. Saturdays only, 5.00 P.M.

Trains leave Bar Harbor for Bangor at 8.00 A.M. (except Monday), 2.00 P.M. (except Saturday), 3.00 P.M. Saturdays only, 7.50 P.M.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

Leave Bangor for Waterville, Lewiston, Portland and points east, 7.15 A.M., 3.00 P.M.

ARRIVAL.

Leaving Portland, Lewiston, Waterville, 9.35 A.M., 7.50 P.M.

NOTE.—Time of arrival is given in advance of departure.

Through tickets to all points and baggage checked through to destination can be obtained of the agent at Bangor.

P. E. BOOTHBY, General Passenger and Ticket Agent.

Bangor & Aroostook

Pullman Sleeping Cars between Bangor and Boston.

Trains leave Bangor for Houlton, Woodstock, St. Stephen, St. John and points in Aroostook County, Quebec and points beyond.

Trains leave Bangor for Bucksport at 5.30 A.M., 3.00 P.M.

Trains leave Bangor for Dover and Foxcroft via Dover and Foxcroft R. R. at 7.15 A.M., 2.40 P.M.

Trains leave Bangor for Oldtown, Kineo, Greenville, Rockwood, Millinocket, Patten, Houlton, Vanceboro, Princeton, Calais, St. Stephen, St. John, Fredericton, Woodstock, Houlton, Aroostook County points, Quebec and points beyond, 7.15 A.M., 12.30 P.M., 2.40 P.M., 7.00 P.M.

Trains leave Oldtown for Bangor at 8.00 A.M., 11.25 A.M., 5.00 P.M.

Trains leave Oldtown for Lincoln, Howland, Stacyville, Sherman Mills, Patten, Houlton, Aroostook County points, Quebec and points beyond, 12.30 P.M.

Trains leave Lincoln for Oldtown, Bangor and points beyond, 8.45 A.M., 2.40 P.M.

Trains leave Sherman Mills for Oldtown, Bangor and points beyond, 7.30 A.M.

Trains leave Patten for Oldtown, Bangor and points beyond, 7.50 A.M., 12.30 P.M.

Trains leave Houlton for Oldtown, Bangor and points beyond, 8.00 A.M., 12.30 P.M., 5.00 P.M.

Trains leave Vanceboro for Oldtown, Bangor and points beyond, 8.00 A.M., 12.30 P.M., 5.00 P.M.

Trains leave Princeton for Oldtown, Bangor and points beyond, 8.00 A.M., 12.30 P.M., 5.00 P.M.

Trains leave Calais for Oldtown, Bangor and points beyond, 8.00 A.M., 12.30 P.M., 5.00 P.M.

Trains leave St. Stephen for Oldtown, Bangor and points beyond, 8.00 A.M., 12.30 P.M., 5.00 P.M.

Trains leave St. John for Oldtown, Bangor and points beyond, 8.00 A.M., 12.30 P.M., 5.00 P.M.

Trains leave Fredericton for Oldtown, Bangor and points beyond, 8.00 A.M., 12.30 P.M., 5.00 P.M.

Trains leave Woodstock for Oldtown, Bangor and points beyond, 8.00 A.M., 12.30 P.M., 5.00 P.M.

Trains leave Houlton for Oldtown, Bangor and points beyond, 8.00 A.M., 12.30 P.M., 5.00 P.M.

Trains leave Vanceboro for Oldtown, Bangor and points beyond, 8.00 A.M., 12.30 P.M., 5.00 P.M.

Trains leave Princeton for Oldtown, Bangor and points beyond, 8.00 A.M., 12.30 P.M., 5.00 P.M.

Trains leave Calais for Oldtown, Bangor and points beyond, 8.00 A.M., 12.30 P.M., 5.00 P.M.

Trains leave St. Stephen for Oldtown, Bangor and points beyond,

...IRS IN JAPAN.

...ablem of Capital and ... Giving Trouble.

...of Unrest and Some ... Among Chinese.

...co, Jan. 8.—The following ... Tokio to Dec. 22 have been ... trial of Mrs. W. H. R. ... murder of her husband by ... set to commence on Jan. ... majesty's court at ... crown advocate, Mr. ... has come from Shang- ... the Yokohama crown prose- ... the prosecution. Sixty ... of Yokohama have been ... the jury. The case prom- ... of the most sensational on ...

...tly circulated news that a ... granted to Germany for an ... settlement in Nanking ... street. Germany has not ... concession. The rumor ... have its origin in the fact ... for an extension of the ... have been passing ... of the German consul-...

...representatives in Pekin ... Tsung Li Yamen to allow ... of levying taxes upon silk ... manufactures to stand over ... shall have been ... various governments con- ... answer given by Yamen is ...

...nt of Foreign Policy.

...of foreign affairs, Count ... delivered several important ... he came into office. His ... in these utterances may ... up thus: An attitude ... helpfulness towards ... attitude of watchful readi- ... Korea. The count is very ... the misbehavior of his ... and absent the ad- ... committed in For-...

...of the society for diffusion ... general knowledge ... Chinese contains this para- ... is a feeling existing among ... themselves which lately ... in many contributions ... native press that this is a ... in Chinese history, that ... government and that the ... is necessary to avoid ... Sooner than there is a ... and not a little ... This is greatly to be de- ... reform ... legal methods ... that the society we may ... this misdirected energy ... and by teaching the ... who are in authority we ... by timely ad- ... dangers ahead ... them by introducing such ... take away the just rea- ... satisfaction.

...Question of Capital and Labor.

...with the fears recently ... America ... Japan ... industrial com- ... United States, it is interest- ... that the old problem of ... is already beginning to ... manufacturing career. ... Japanese ... at the outset ... arbitrary de- ... part of their operatives, ... throughout the country ... union, each pledging itself ... who had been ... from any ... of the combination. ... possible to bring all the cot- ... into the union, the petition ... withdrawn, even impregna- ... the Kanagi Fuchi ... and in a short time the ... in the union mills ... attending it. Ev- ... made to stop the ... without result and ... served notice that ... the Kanagia Fuchi ... to buy union mill, ...

...N BROKEN OUT.

...l Reports of the Min- ... Troubles in Illinois.

...Ill., Jan. 8.—The mining ... and Wyllie, which was ... broke out in fresh and ... yesterday after- ... almost continuous ... all the evening. The ... numbered over 1,000, have ... against alleged un- ... for nearly two months and ... They ... the cribs and shaft ... company and murder ... who are ... The depots are guarding ... If a settlement is not ... of the week it is certain ... will result.

...NESS MATTERS.

...St. Paul and Minneapolis ... Rapidly Recovering.

...Jan. 8.—The banks of ... Minneapolis continue to re- ... from the shock of the past ... The assets of the Germania ... have been found in ex- ... and the reorganization will ... possible speed. ... appointed by the de- ... bank of Minnesota to look ... reorganization ... Wm. Dawson, ... Wm. Dawson, Jr., cashier, ... obtained from them as ... of the actual condition ... could ... represents depositors, ... more than $1,000,000 ... together in the ... organization through the ... to have a plan to ... depositors shortly by which ... receive dollar for ...

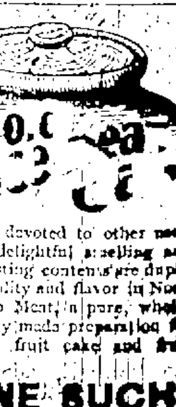
...question now being agitated ... and county is to do for ... to carry on the current ... round figures there is tied ... county funds in the four ... $240,000 of which $247,- ... the city and $58,000 to the ...

...OR TOO HIGH.

...ory May Move from Stoneham.

...Mass., Jan. 8.—A. E. Mann ... the largest shoe manufac- ... of Stoneham may leave that ... in New Hampshire. This ... the John Hill factory and ... is brisk, employs about ... claim is made that the price ... so high here and the labor ... are able to maintain ... of leather and the im- ... obtaining better prices for ... it necessary, if business ... forget the work done ... the firm says it is unable ... and must seek relief.

...and representing no organiza- ... to Mr. Mann that if he ... to remain, the prices in ... might be adopted in ... Mr. Mann has given no ... considers this as an advan- ... was today held in ... Mr. Mann or his rep- ... to each from ... organizations in the town.



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...devoted to other ... delightful smelling and ... contents are dup- ... quality and flavor in None ... Meat in pure, whole- ... made preparation for ... fruit cake and ...

NONE SUCH
MINCE MEAT

...housewife ... work ... mince ... cost. A package ... pies, ... all grocers ...

Love is the keystone of a woman's life. Her fondest hopes rest upon this tender emotion; her highest pride is in her capacity to awaken the love which makes a happy wife; her noblest ambition is to become a loved and loving mother.

Any weakness or disease which incapacitates her to fulfill the exalted function of motherhood is the saddest blight which can come upon a woman's life.

But there is no reason in nature why any hindrances or derangements of this kind should continue to exist. Ninety-nine times in a hundred they are completely overcome in a perfectly natural and scientific way by the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, which gives healthy power and capacity to the special organs; reinforces the nerve-centres and makes nature's healthy motherhood possible, safe and comparatively easy.

It makes the coming of baby almost free from pain; gives strength and cheerfulness to the mother, and constitutional vigor to the child. It is the only medicine in the world devised for this one purpose by an educated physician, a skilled and experienced specialist in this particular field of practice.

"I cannot say enough in praise of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, as it has done me a world of good, and has, undoubtedly saved my life," writes Mrs. Florence Hunter, of Corley, Logan Co., Ark. "I miscarried four times; could get no medicine to do me any good. I concluded to try the 'Favorite Prescription' and after taking several bottles of it I made my husband a present of a fine girl. I think it is the best medicine in the world."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets: One is a laxative, two a mild cathartic.

KENDUSKEAG NATIONAL BANK.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Kenduskeag National Bank of Bangor will be held at their Banking Room on TUESDAY, January 12th, 1897, at 11 o'clock A. M., to choose a board of Directors and to transact any other business that may properly come before them.
GEORGE F. BRYANT, Cashier.
Bangor, Dec. 11, 1896. dec11 td

BREWER ADVERTISEMENTS

If you want a good COUGH MEDICINE GO TO WYMAN'S (New Ferry.)

If you want the GENUINE DR. SCOTT'S PLASTERS, (double size, 25 cents.) GO TO WYMAN'S

Have your PRESCRIPTIONS ... TO WYMAN'S

they are filled with the drugs the doctor orders—no substituting here, we don't believe in it.

WYMAN,
THE DRUGGIST.

INSURANCE.

I have this day purchased the entire Insurance business of Mr. Otis C. Farnham, ... city, and having added the Mercantile Fire and Marine Insurance Company of Boston to my agency, am now fully prepared to write insurance in good companies and at lowest rates.
B. E. FARRINGTON.
Brewer, Jan'y 7, 1897. jan8 2t

OARS AND PADDLES.

Having purchased the business of Dexter Andrews, I am prepared to furnish all customers who may want anything in the above line, on WILSON STREET NEAR FERRY.
H. J. LEACH.
Brewer, Nov. 7, 1896.

RAILROADS.

MAINE CENTRAL RAILROAD

ARRANGEMENT OF TRAINS.
In Effect Dec. 14, 1896.

Until further notice, trains will leave Bangor as follows:

GOING EAST.

6.30 A.M.—For St. Stephen, Aroostook County, St. John and all points East of Bangor in Maine and the Provinces, with Pullman Car for St. John.
7.55 A.M.—For Oldtown and all points on B. & A. R. R.
10.20 A.M.—For Oldtown and Milford.
12.30 P.M.—Mixed for Mattawamkeag.
3.00 P.M.—For Vanceboro, St. Stephen, Houlton, Woodstock, and St. John.
3.50 P.M.—For Oldtown and B. & A. R. R. to Greenville and Houlton.
6.00 P.M.—For Oldtown and Mattawamkeag.

GOING WEST.

6.15 A.M.—For all points West, connecting at Newport for Dover and Foxcroft, and Moosehead Lake, Burnham for Belfast, at Waterville for Oakland, Winthrop, Lewiston, Farmington, Phillips and Rangeley, at Portland for Montreal, Quebec, and Toronto.
8.15 P.M.—Mixed, for Waterville and way stations, connecting at Burnham for Belfast.
1.40 P.M.—Flying Yankee for Boston, with through Parlor Car running via Augusta; stop ... at and connecting for Newport, Dexter, Dover and Foxcroft, Moosehead Lake, Belfast, Waterville, Augusta, Portland and Boston. Night trains between Bangor and Boston every night, Sundays included.
3.35 P.M.—For Dover and Foxcroft and Moosehead Lake via Dexter, and mixed from Newport for all stations as far as Waterville ...
8.00 P.M.—Every Night for Portland and Boston via Augusta, connecting for Lewiston, Bath. Pullman sleeping cars attached for Portland and Boston.
11.25 P.M.—Express for Portland and Boston. Pullman sleeping car attached for Portland and Boston.

BUCKSPORT BRANCH.

Trains leave Bangor for Bucksport at 7.30 A.M., 4.55 P.M. (except Saturdays and Sundays) and 5.25 P.M. Saturdays only. Arrive at Bucksport 8.10 A.M., 6.00 and 7.50 P.M. Leave Bucksport for Bangor at 6.35 A.M., and 1.15 P.M. Arrive Bangor at 6.55 A.M., and 2.35 P.M.

MT. DESERT BRANCH.

Trains leave Bangor for Ellsworth and Bar Harbor at 6.45 and 3.11 A.M., and 4.45 P.M. Leave Ellsworth 4.00 and 10.35 A.M. and 5.57 P.M. 6.45 A.M. train connects for Sullivan and ...

Trains leave Bar Harbor (steamer) at 10.35 A.M. and 3.30 P.M. Leave Mt. Desert Ferry at 11.20 A.M., 1.00 and 5.15 P.M. Leave Ellsworth 11.50 A.M., 1.35 and 5.47 P.M. Arrive in Bangor 1.00, ... and 1.00 P.M.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

6.15 A.M.—For Waterville, Augusta, Portland and Boston.
8.00 P.M.—For Portland and Boston via Augusta, connecting for Rockland, Bath and Lewiston. Pullman sleeping car attached.

ARRIVALS.

Through trains from the East arrive at 1.20 A.M. (... and 11.10 P.M. From Greenville, 9.35 A.M., B. & A., 1.20 and 6.35 P.M. from all points. From Milford, 2.30 P.M. Mattawamkeag 6.45 A.M., 11.50 A.M. (mixed).

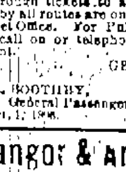
From the West—Arrive from Boston and Portland 4.50 A.M. and 4.35 and 6.30 P.M. Sundays 6.50 A.M. From Portland and way stations 11.50 A.M. From Waterville and from Dover and Foxcroft via Dexter 9.07 and 11.41 A.M. Sunday ... from Boston and Portland 5.15 P.M. Sunday ... per train, 11.25 A.M.

NOTE.—Time of arrival and departure here given is that at Maine Central Depot; for Exchange Street depot a slight difference should be allowed.

Through tickets to all principal points East and by all routes are on sale at the Maine Central Ticket Office. For Pullman Berths or information, call on or telephone A. W. Benson, Ticket Agent.

GEORGE F. EVANS,
General Manager.
F. E. BOOTHBY,
General Passenger and Ticket Agent.
Oct. 1, 1896. ... tf&w

Bangor & Aroostook R. R



Pullman Buffet Parlor Car between Houlton and Bangor on trains leaving Houlton at 8.30 A.M. and Bangor at 4.50 P.M.

IN EFFECT MONDAY, OCTOBER 5, 1896.

Until further notice trains will leave Bangor as follows:

6.55 A.M.—For and arriving at Lagrange at 8 A.M., Milo 8.42 A.M., Brownville 8.55 A.M., Katahdin Iron Works 9.40 A.M., Norcross 9.50 A.M., ... 10.53 A.M., Island Falls 11.20 A.M., Smyrna Mills 11.55 A.M., Weeksboro 12.20 P.M., Masardis 1.15 P.M., Ashland 1.40 P.M., Houlton 12.25 P.M., Presque Isle 2.18 P.M., Caribou ... P.M., Fort Fairfield 3.30 P.M., Dover 9.15 A.M., Guilford 10 A.M., Monson Junction 9.58 A.M., Greenville 11.00 A.M.
3.50 P.M.—For and arriving at Brownville ... P.M., Norcross 7.40 P.M., Grindstone, 8.13 P.M., Sherman, 8.41 P.M., Island Falls, 9.6 P.M., Ashland Junction, 9.25 P.M., Houlton, 10.25 P.M., Lagrange 5.27 P.M., Dover and Foxcroft, 7.15 P.M., Sangerville, 7.35 P.M., Guilford 7.39 P.M., Monson Junction, 7.56 P.M., Blanchard, 8.18 P.M., Greenville, 8.55 P.M.

ARRIVALS.

6.55 A.M.—Leaving Greenville 6.00 A.M., Monson Junction 7.09 A.M., Guilford 7.17 A.M., Dover 7.28 A.M., Brownville 7.45 A.M., Milo 8.00 A.M., Lagrange 8.20 A.M.
1.20 P.M.—Leaving Caribou 8.10 A.M., Presque Isle 8.40 A.M., Fort Fairfield 8.15 A.M., Houlton ... A.M., Ashland 7.00 A.M., Masardis 7.20 A.M., Weeksboro 8.40 A.M., Smyrna Mills 8.58 A.M., Island Falls 9.30 A.M., Sherman 9.58 A.M., Norcross 10.15 A.M., Brownville 11.00 A.M.
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GEO. M. HOUGHTON,
Gen'l Pass'r & Ticket Agent.
F. W. CRAM, Vice Pres't & Gen'l Manager.
Bangor, Me., Oct. 1, 1896.

BREWER LOCALS.

Mr. C. G. Glidden has been confined to the house for a day or two by a severe cold.

During the remainder of the winter months the postoffice will be closed evenings at 8 o'clock, except on Saturday evenings when it will be kept open until 9.

If you wish prescriptions filled or anything else in the drug line Wyman, the druggist, Main street, near the ferry, can give you just what you need at lowest prices.

Conductor Hiram Field, of this city, was taken suddenly ill with appendicitis at Oldtown a day or two ago and has since been at Crocker's hotel there, where he has been joined by Mrs. Field. He was reported yesterday as improving.

The Week of Prayer service for last evening was held at the First M. E. church and was well attended and, like those that have preceded it, of an interesting nature. The closing meeting of the series will be held this evening at the same place.

The second assembly in the B. & B. course of dancing assemblies was held at City Hall last evening and was very successful and much enjoyed. There was a large attendance and a pleasant order of dances was carried out to the music by Pullen's orchestra.

The many friends of Mrs. Lizzie L. Trim were deeply pained to learn of her death which occurred Thursday evening, resulting from pneumonia. She was the widow of the late James Trim and was 45 years and 8 months old. She leaves one son, Mr. Harry Trim, and one daughter, Mrs. Linwood Day, to mourn her loss, to whom all will extend sympathy.

Mr. B. E. Farrington has purchased the entire insurance business of Mr. O. C. Farnham and has added to the list of companies that he represents the Mercantile Fire and Marine Insurance Co., of Boston. He is prepared to write all kinds of insurance in the best companies and invites all who wish policies to call on him at his office at the Brewer Savings Bank.

Capt. and Mrs. William M. Crosby celebrated their silver wedding at their home Thursday evening and the happy event was enjoyed by a large number of their friends who were present. The evening was passed in a very pleasant manner being much added to by readings and music, and Capt. and Mrs. Crosby received many handsome and valuable gifts in commemoration of the occasion.

Sunday Services.

First Congregational church, Rev. B. B. Merrill, pastor. Sermon at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday School at 11.45 a. m.; anniversary of the church with annual reports at 7 p. m.; Y. P. S. C. E. meeting at 8. All cordially invited.

First M. E. church, Rev. J. T. Crosby pastor. Sermon at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday school at 11.45 a. m.; Junior Epworth League at 3 p. m.; Epworth League at 6.15 p. m.; evening prayer and praise service at 7. All cordially invited.

First Baptist church, corner of Main and Parker streets, Rev. W. E. Lombard, pastor. Seats free. Sermon at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday school at 11.45 a. m.; evening service at 7. All welcome.

The weekly meeting of the Pine Grove Christian Endeavor society will be held Sunday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock at Pine Grove Hall on the Pierce road.

Wholesale Produce Market.

Corrected semi-weekly by the Grocer ... Asses...tion.

SATURDAY, Jan. 9.

STATE LAW REGARDING WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

A bushel of Liverpool salt shall weigh 60 pounds, and a bushel of Turks Island salt shall weigh 70 pounds.

The standard weight of a bushel of potatoes, in good order and fit for shipping, is 60 pounds.

The standard weight of a bushel of beans in good order and fit for shipping is 62 pounds; of wheat, beets, ruta baga turnips and peas, 60 pounds; of corn, 56 pounds; of onions, 52 pounds; of carrots, English turnips, rye and Indian meal, 50 pounds; of parsnips, barley and buckwheat, 48 pounds; of oats, 32 pounds or even measure as by agreement.

Country Produce.

BEANS—	
Improved Yellow Eye, ♥ bush.	1 25@1 35
Pea, hand picked, ♥ bush.	1 40@1 50
BUTTER—	
Choice new roll, ♥ lb.	18@20c
Fair to good	16@18c
CHEESE—	
Best Factory, ♥ lb (new)	10@11c
Best Dairy, ♥ lb (new)	[illegible]
DRIED APPLES—	
Choice strung, ♥ lb.	[illegible]
Choice sliced	[illegible]
EGGS—	
Fresh laid, ♥ doz.	20@22c
HAY—	
Best loose, ♥ ton	13 00
PEAS—	
Improved, ♥ bush.	1 25
Best Canada, whole	1 10@1 25
POTATOES—	
New, ♥ bu.	40@45c
POULTRY—	
Chickens, spring, ♥ lbs.	15@20c
ONIONS—	
♥ Barrel	1 75@2 00

Retail Prices Current

SALT—	
Bangor, ground, in boxes, ♥ box	[illegible]
English butter salt in 14 lb bags, ♥ bag	[illegible]
to 5 lb bags	[illegible]
Liverpool, ♥ bu.	[illegible]
Turks Island	[illegible]
HERRING—	
English, scaled, in boxes, ♥ box	25c
RAISINS—	
Loose Muscatels, ♥ lb.	17@20c
London Layers	[illegible]
Sultanas	15@18c
CURRANTS—	
Engl sh, ♥ lb.	10@12c
KEROSENE OIL—	
150 test, ♥ gallon	[illegible]
VINEGAR—	
Pure Cider, ♥ gallon	25@30c
Pure W. W.	[illegible]
OATS—	[illegible]
FLOUR—	
Best Spring Haxall, ♥ barrel	5 75@6 00
Best St. Louis	5 75
Good family	5 50
CORN—	
Full weight	38@40c
CORN MEAL—	
100 lbs. to bushel	38@37c
COTTON SEED MEAL—	
In sacks of 100 lbs.	1 15
SHORTS—	
St. Louis bran, in sacks	75c
Spring wheat, ♥ hundred	70c
MIDDLINGS—	
Fine, ♥ hundred	[illegible]
Coarse	80c
GLUTEN MEAL	1 10
FEED FLOUR	[illegible]
WHEAT	[illegible]

Breadstuffs, Grain, etc.

OATMEAL—	
Best Scotch, per lb.	5c
Best Irish	5
Best Canada	4c
RYE MEAL, per lb.	4c
GRAHAM FLOUR	4c
BUCKWHEAT FLOUR	4c
SUGAR—	
Granulated, per lb.	5c
Extra	5c
PORK—	
Country clear, per lb.	8c
Western	8c
LARD—	
Bulk, from tierces, per lb.	8c
Home in pails	10c

Every bruise, every sore muscle, should be freely bathed in Johnson's Anodyne Liniment.

MORE CURATIVE POWER

Is contained in a bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla than in any other similar preparation. It costs the proprietor and manufacturer more. It costs the jobber more and it is worth more to the consumer. It has a record of cures unknown to any other preparation. It is the best to buy because it is the One True Blood Purifier.

Hood's Pills are the best family cathartic and liver medicine. Gentle, reliable, sure.

EXPOSURE TO DISEASE

Does not necessarily mean the contraction of disease provided the system is in a vigorous condition, with the blood pure and all the organs in healthy action. When in such a condition contagion is readily resisted and the disease germs can find no lodgement. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the best medicine to build up the system because it makes pure, rich blood, and pure blood is the basis of good health. In cold weather it is especially necessary to keep up the health tone because the body is subject to greater exposure and more liable to disease. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the safeguard of health.

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FUNERAL OF GEN. WALKER.

Trinity Church Crowded to its Utmost Capacity.

Students of Institute of Technology Did Escort Duty.

Boston, Jan. 8.—To give a complete list of the distinguished persons who were present at the funeral services of Gen. Francis A. Walker at Trinity church today at noon would require mention of every man in the body of the house. Indeed, the large edifice, notwithstanding its great seating capacity, proved to be inadequate to accommodate the thousands who desired admittance, that the tickets were of necessity limited to those, who by reason of their official positions or intimate association with the great man whose memory they desired to honor, had claims that could not be overlooked.

Educational institutions, historic and economic associations, military organizations and civic bodies were compelled, to limit their attendance to committees and delegates. Even the classes from the Mass. Institute of Technology were limited to one hundred members from each class and they filled the entire gallery.

Although in deference to the wishes of the family there was no suggestion of a military funeral, 120 students of the institute, under the direction of Capt. Bigelow, escorted the remains from the residence at 237 Beacon street past the public library and art museum up to St. James' avenue to the church with the senior students at their head.

The delegation then entered the west vestibule of the church, those not composing the delegation marching by the church. Each student wore a crepe rosette. There were honorary pall bearers as follows:

Representing the commonwealth, Gov. Wolcott; the city, Mayor Quincy; the National Academy of Science, Professor Hall; the corporation of the Institute of Technology, Hon. William Endicott, Jr.; the faculty of the institute, Ex-President John D. Runkle; executive committee of the corporation, Col. Thomas L. Livermore; Amherst college, President Merrill E. Gates; Yale university, Dr. George J. Brush, director of the Sheffield Scientific school; Harvard university, President Eliot; Military order of Loyal Legion, Col. John S. Lizard; Museum of Fine Arts, Col. Henry Lee; Massachusetts Historical Society, Hon. Samuel A. Green; Military Historical Society of Massachusetts, John C. Ropes; St. Botolph club, Solomon Lincoln.

The coffin was covered with flowers. As it was borne up the main aisle on the shoulders of eight students it was preceded by Rev. E. Winchester Donald, D. D., rector of the church, and his assistant, Rev. William Dewart, the former reciting the solemn and impressive words of the service. The ritual of the Episcopal church was followed throughout the exercises, the incidental singing being by the combined choirs of Trinity church and the Second Universalist church.

The benediction was pronounced by Rev. Mr. Dewart after which the body was taken to Mt. Auburn.

No flowers other than those mentioned before were brought into the church although there were many beautiful pieces sent to the house. The Christmas decorations had not been removed from the walls and pillars of the church and the dark green effect produced was in perfect harmony with the solemn occasion.

The seating of the great congregation was performed with out confusion by a large corps of ushers, and their aids chosen from students of the institute of technology. During the funeral the City hall and the public library were closed to the public.

JAY GOULD'S ESTATE.

Suit Brought by Woman who Claims She was his First Wife.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Jan. 8.—Isaac N. Ingraham related his recollections of Jay Gould before Charles H. Bender as commissioner here yesterday, in the suit of Sarah Ann Jewell against the Jay Gould estate, for a share of his property on the ground that she was his first wife.

He first met Gould in Syracuse in the spring of 1853 and the following spring went with Gould at ... bearers. He knew of Gould's marriage to Sarah Ann and knew the woman. They were married by the Rev. Nathaniel Leighton and he knew the preacher and also Mary Ann Brown, who witnessed the marriage.

During the two summers that Ingraham worked with Gould the woman travelled with them, and everywhere passed as Gould's wife, and was introduced as such. The child was two weeks old the last time Ingraham saw Gould or his wife. He came west afterward and knew nothing of the subsequent history.

John D. Osborn also testified to knowing Gould and the woman who claims she was his wife but had no knowledge of their marriage or the birth of the child.

HORRIBLE BRUTALITY.

An Aged Couple Terribly Tortured by Robbers.

Chicago, Jan. 8.—Christopher Wartenburg, an aged German farmer and his wife, who live on a farm near Lace, Du Page county, about 35 miles from this city, were tortured by robbers on Tuesday night and are now lying. The couple were found at their home late on Wednesday, bound, gagged and with their feet frozen in a ... of snow.

The Wartenburg farm is remote from the public highway and it was only by the chance call of a neighbor that the condition of the old couple was discovered. Mr. Wartenburg was revived sufficiently to tell his story.

Two strangers, he said, giving their names as Clark and Heinke and their residence as Chicago, called at the house on Tuesday night and asked for a night's lodging offering payment. They were accommodated and retired. At midnight the farmer and his wife were aroused by the men, who presented revolvers and demanded to know where the bulk of a large sum of money supposed to be concealed about the premises.

The old couple protested that they had no money. Mrs. Wartenburg was then seized and bound and her feet thrust into a pail filled with snow. Her suffering and her husband's pleading failed to move the robbers, who presently treated the aged man in a similar manner. After ransacking the house the strangers departed with $4, leaving their victims to suffer.

MYSTERY EXPLAINED.

Were Trying New Explosive for Use in Cuban War.

Lynn, Mass., Jan. 8.—The meaning of the experiments with explosives for the past few days along the Maine and New Hampshire coasts has been explained by the electrician who had charge of that part of the work. He returned to Lynn this morning with good pay for his services in his pocket.

According to him, he was employed by a Cuban agent, Senor Palma, to do the electrical work and to explain how to perform it to him and to two other Cubans, who are soon to start for their native land with explosives and kites for use against the Spanish forces. They have a secret explosive, a compound resembling nitroglycerine, made by one Robinson, a chemist, on Third avenue, New York. Robinson has been with the party during the experiment.

The Cubans were highly pleased with the result.

THE ARBUCKLE MURDER.

Confession of a Young Man in Jail at Louisville.

Chicago, Jan. 8.—It is believed that Frederick Bauman, a prisoner in the county jail at Louisville, who yesterday confessed to participation in the murder of Frank P. Arbuckle in New York on Nov. 10, naming Dave Edmunds, or Nestor, of Chicago, as his accomplice, is the son of Joseph Bauman of the firm of H. Bauman & Co., pawn brokers, No. 159 Clark street. This man according to a statement made by Mr. Bauman last night is a wayward young man, whom his family has disowned and with whom they hold no communication.

"My son was in New York one year ago," said Mr. Bauman last night, "and a short time ago he was in Louisville. I never heard of his being connected with a theatrical company. The last I knew of him he was selling typewriters. My son went by the name of Norman."

KISSED CHILDREN GOOD BYE

And Then Disappeared with Her Husband's Gold.

Bridgeport, Conn., Jan. 8.—Harry Lasco, a Hungarian, found his home at 966 East Main street dark when he returned home from work last night. His five small children were crying and his wife had disappeared. They said their mother had kissed them good bye and told them she would never see them again. Lasco quickly discovered that $300 in gold which he had received from the sale of property in his native land had been taken from the house. He thinks his wife has run away with another man. ...

FOREIGN NEWS.

Lady Selina Scott Sentenced to Eight Months' Imprisonment.

Installation Ceremonies of the Archbishop of Canterbury Interrupted by a Crank.

London, Jan. 8.—The Old Bailey court room was crowded this morning when Lady Selina Scott, John Cockerton and Wm. Aylott, who yesterday pleaded guilty of having criminally libelled Earl Russell, Lady Scott's son-in-law, were brought up for sentence. Lady Scott entered the court room accompanied by her daughter, Countess Russell.

When the prisoners were called to the bar for sentence Mr. John Lawson, Walton, M. P., solicitor for Lady Scott, addressed the court in behalf of his client saying that her ladyship pledged herself not to republish any of the libels she had uttered against Earl Russell. Solicitor Hall, speaking for Cockerton and Aylott, said that his clients did not withdraw a single word they had said or any statement they had ... concerning Earl Russell, having told nothing but the truth about him.

Lady Scott in reply to the usual question by the court as to what she had to say why sentence should not be pronounced upon her, said that she was perfectly willing to ... any punishment that his lordship, the judge, might see fit to inflict. All that she had done, she said, was in defence of her darling daughter and she would gladly suffer anything for her sake.

The judge then addressed the prisoners, speaking for half an hour. He was repeatedly interrupted by Lady Scott, who finally became exasperated at the ... turning of the court and exclaimed:

"For goodness sake, let me have my sentence. I am only a woman."

The judge then pronounced sentence upon the prisoners, condemning each of them to eight months imprisonment without hard labor. Lady Scott, on account of her delicate health, will be treated as a first class misdemeanant, but Cockerton and Aylott will be treated as ordinary prisoners.

As Lady Scott was leaving the prisoner's dock after the judge had sentenced her, she turned and said: "Every word I uttered against my daughter's husband is true."

Interrupted by a Crank.

London, Jan. 8.—The Rt. Hon. and Most Rev. Frederick Temple, D. D., the recently appointed archbishop of Canterbury and primate of all England, was enthroned in the cathedral at Canterbury today in the presence of 12 bishops, 350 clergymen and a brilliant gathering of the faithful. As the procession entered the cathedral a ... ritualist named Greenwood cried out: "Both the ceremony and the archbishop are frauds." Efforts were made to quiet Greenwood, but he continued in his disturbance until he was seized by a policeman and locked up. The approaches to the cathedral were densely ... with people and the edifice was filled to the limit of its capacity.

The cathedral was opened at 10.15 and the ceremonies began at noon later. After the mandate for the enthronement was present by the vicar general to the chapter of Canterbury in the treasury, the procession was formed, headed by the Bedesmen and the high seneschal, the military, municipal and county representatives following.

To the right of the archbishop was the Rev. F. W. Farrar, dean of Canterbury, and the vice dean walked at his left. The archbishops and the deans were followed by the eight chaplains of the archbishop and a long train of clergymen.

The company began by the singing of the ... chorus by the choir, the congregation joining in the singing. The mandate for the enthronement was then handed to the archdeacon by the vicar general.

The mandate was read aloud by a notary public and the archbishop was in accordance with the mandate, escorted to the throne by the archdeacon, the venerable Benjamin F. Smith. The archbishop took his seat upon the archiepiscopal throne and the archdeacon pronounced him duly installed.

AFTER SIXTY DAYS

Peace Bonds will be Furnished for Wife Beater.

Exeter, N. H., Jan. 8.—William Judson, of Plaistow, who was arraigned Monday for assault upon his wife with intent to kill, was this morning put under $300 bonds to keep the peace. He could not furnish bail and went back to jail. He will probably be kept there sixty days, when his family will furnish sureties.

THE PUGILISTS.

Corbett-Fitzsimmons Match to Take Place in United States.

Chicago, Jan. 8.—"Parson" Carroll and Frank Kennedy, local sports, last night received a telegram from Dan Stuart announcing that the fight between Fitzsimmons and Corbett will take place in the United States. According to the message the battle ground selected is considered so much of a sure thing that Carroll and Kennedy at once started plans to run a special train to the scene of action. The spot chosen will be known one month before the fight takes place.

WAS VERY POPULAR.

Victim of Accidental Shooting at Farmington.

Farmington, Me., Jan. 8.—John Dobbins, who was accidentally shot Saturday, died at midnight. He was a member of the graduating class of the Grammar school and very popular.

PREVENTED A LYNCHING.

Timely Arrival of Detectives Saved Negro's Life.

Wilmington, Del., Jan. 8.—Mrs. Irving Ball, living on a farm at Stanton, was savagely assaulted, on Wednesday by Frank Thomas, a colored farm hand employed by her husband. Thomas was subsequently captured near Newark and taken to the Ball farm. There he was seized by fifty angry farmers, armed with guns and farm implements. A rope was placed about his neck and hanging was to follow. The detectives arrived at this juncture and saved Thomas from being strung up, bringing him here later. The chief of police had been notified that 500 farmers are coming to town to take the prisoner from the city jail.

THE CABINET.

Report that Gov. Dingley will Not Accept a Portfolio.

Boston, Jan. 8.—The Washington correspondent of the Advertiser telegraphs as follows: "Gov. Dingley will not be Secretary of the Treasury. He told me so himself to-day, Thursday, which is the first authoritative denial that has been made. His health is the only cause. His refusal therefore opens up the whole question of who the New England member of the cabinet will be."

AN IMMENSE SUM.

Involved in a Suit to be Brought at Kansas City.

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 8.—Joseph Boulanger, a half breed of Elgin, Kas., announces that he will immediately bring suit to recover forty acres of land in the heart of Kansas City now worth between $40,000,000 and $50,000,000. The land was bought by the government in 1832 from Col lee Montardeau, a French trader, who was the grandfather of the present claimant. Boulanger claims that his grandfather, being ignorant of legal forms had never filed the patent, and that the transfers of the property since then have been invalid.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c.

RELIEF IN SIX HOURS.

Distressing Kidney and Bladder diseases relieved in six hours by the "NEW GREAT SOUTH AMERICAN KIDNEY CURE." This new remedy is a great surprise on account of its exceeding promptness in relieving pain in the bladder, kidneys, back and every part of the urinary passages in male or female. It relieves retention of water and pain in passing it almost immediately. If you want quick relief and cure this is your remedy. Sold by L. L. Mountaine & Co., Druggists, Bangor, Me.

The Keeley Institute, Deering, Maine, promotes practical temperance by curing the nervous weakness on which indulgence in alcohol, morphine, tobacco, etc., depends. Inebriety ... the Keeley Treatment, many ... and nervous troubles ... are ... condition ...

CRUISER PHILADELPHIA.

Details of the Fire in Her Coal Bunkers.

San Francisco, Jan. 8.—A letter written by one of the crew of the cruiser Philadelphia, which has been received here, gives the details of the fire in the cruiser's bunkers on the morning of her arrival at Callao, Peru. The crew was busy scrubbing down the decks when an alarm of fire was sounded. The crew soon discovered the whereabouts of the fire but as the ship rapidly filled with smoke, had considerable difficulty playing water on the blazing coal. Notwithstanding that all the watch possible was used, said the writer of the letter, the plates in the magazine room became so heated that an order to abandon the ship would not have surprised me. After three hours of hard work the flames were extinguished in this coal bunkers, but the fire broke out in an adjoining room from the heated plates. The crew was again put to work and in half an hour had the fire out. The hatch plates were cooled by running streams of water over them, and the excitement ended.

AWAITED WITH INTEREST.

New Chinese Minister Will Arrive at San Francisco Early in March.

San Francisco, Jan. 8.—The Chinese consul general has been advised that the new Chinese minister to the United States will arrive in San Francisco early in March. The coming of the new minister is awaited with much interest by the local Chinese colony and particularly in view of the fact that his presence here is hoped to mean a speedy ending of the present difficulties between the See Yup and Sam Yup societies. The new minister is a See Yup and comes from the same district of China of which the participants in the Chinatown troubles are natives. This fact it is thought will aid him in adjusting the local difficulties. After accomplishing this work he will proceed to Washington.

Telegraphic Notes.

A Boston despatch says: It was discovered Thursday, that Jesse Pomeroy, the boy fiend and murderer, had nearly succeeded in digging through the prison walls in an attempt to escape. He had been confined in the State prison for the last twenty-two years, having been sentenced when he was 15. He has always been closely watched as he is considered the most dangerous prisoner in the institution. The officials cannot imagine how he was enabled to carry his operations as far as he did. Few facts in regard to the case can be learned from prison officials.

Honolulu advices dated Jan. 1 say United States Minister Willis, whose condition was reported as hopeless a few days ago, is greatly improved and his complete recovery is now looked for.

WILD MULES IN MONTANA.

The Origin of Strange Herds in the Bitter Root Valley.

Almost any one can own a horse in Montana. If he has not the $5, $10, $20 or $50 necessary to pay for the blood and culture with which any particular animal may be endowed, he may, if he has the necessary agility, go out on the range and take one, for there are plenty that don't belong to any one else.

Since the price on horses fell below the paying point many ranchmen have neglected branding their stock or keeping any track of it, and, in fact, there have been a good many local efforts made by the owners themselves to exterminate or drive the horses off the mountain ranges that there might be better grass for cattle and sheep. It is very repulsive business, to a Western man more especially than any one else, to shoot a horse, and a man who is capable of it is regarded with rather more circumspection than one who has killed his man.

So, being protected by a spark of sentiment, the herds of wild or maverick horses are really increasing, and a right royal breed of animals they are. When the business was good, a few years back, the Montana breeders were the most energetic and progressive of any in the West. They bought sires of thoroughbred and trotting blood in Kentucky and turned them loose with their herds.

Others who desired size rather than endurance went to Illinois and Canada and purchased great Norman and Clydesdale stallions. While the prices ruled high the two classes were bred separately, but of late years they have been allowed to run into one uniform and homogeneous herd. The new herd is of good height and strong-boned, with lung power and endurance that are suggestive of a greyhound.

If conditions were to remain the same for twenty or thirty years longer, without any new admixture of blood it is reasonable to expect that these herds would gradually assume a uniformity of size, shape and color as great as a horse as is noted in any other wild animals.

"Did you ever hear of the wild mules of the Bitter Root Mountains?" asked a proprietor the other day.

I had never heard of them, and the suggestion seemed a little bit woolly and Western, as mules, being without hope of posterity, have a very uncertain tenure of existence as a species, and I may have expressed scepticism.

"But they are there, for I have seen them," he continued. "I have seen hundreds of them—little, grey fellows, often about the color of buffalo grass, and they are some wilder than an antelope. They are most too small and vicious to be worth bothering with, even if it were easier to catch them. They would like to associate with the horses, but the stallions drive them off, and they have to herd by themselves. As the stockmen despise them they are kept pretty well-scared back into the mountains."

"Where did they come from and how is the supply kept up?"

"Well, some of their ancestors and progenitors are still with them—Mexican burros, as wild as the little mules themselves. It began in 1870, when Wilson lost his drove of burros on the St. Mary fork of the Bitter Root.

"He brought a pack train of burros all the way from Southern Colorado or New Mexico. It was at a time of one of the earliest discoveries of gold in the Coeur d'Alene Mountains, and when Wilson got the reports of the discovery and the rush he conceived the idea that he could make big money packing for the miners.

"Wilson had about forty burros and he hired another man, and well along in the season they started northward. They made their way slowly through Colorado and Wyoming into Montana, and about December 1, after a pretty hard trip, they reached the Missouri River, where they got the first reliable news about the mines. They ascertained that the real value of the discoveries had been greatly exaggerated, and that there was absolutely no demand for a pack train of any description.

"Then Wilson concluded to return to Colorado. They started southward and got as far as the St. Mary's when they were overtaken by a blizzard which continued several days. After the storm was over and they went to round up their donkeys they were able to find but three or four in a whole day's search.

"'What's the use of trying to get back to Colorado?' asked Wilson. 'These burros can probably pull through the winter here as well as anywhere, and when spring comes they will be worth something in Montana.'

"Then Wilson and his man took the few animals they had left and made the way to Helena.

"Did he never try to round up his burros again?"

"I don't know about that, but anyway he never got them, and that accounts for the little wild mules of southwestern Montana and Idaho. They seem to be proverbially protected somehow, and the number increases every year."

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Hancock County Officials have an Interesting Bonfire.

Weather Record During 1896 as Kept by Dover Man.

Aroostook.

The Blaine correspondent of the Presque Isle Star-Herald notes the fact that two other men and himself are the only ones now living in the town who were established there 20 years ago. In Houlton there are at least two persons now in business that were engaged in the same avocation 37 years ago.

This "January thaw" will prove decidedly unwelcome to the lumbermen who have just begun operations in the woods. Last year the absence of any snow until January impeded lumbering, and then after several promising weeks came a discouraging thaw.

Cumberland.

The Deering Board of Trade Thursday night adopted resolutions opposing the proposed annexation of a part of Deering to Portland. The board heard Jesse Peterson's electric lighting scheme, which Portland is considering.

The total shipments of apples to Europe for 1896 and Jan. 1 and 2, 1897, were 2,156,334 barrels from all American ports, including 71,297 from Portland. For the preceding year the total was 527,521.

Hancock.

The Ellsworth American: Hancock county began the New Year with a little bonfire, which consumed the last of the $32,000 in bonds issued in 1865 to build the new court-house. The bonds burned last Friday by the county commissioners represented $5,000. That is the very last of the county bonds, but there remains a small indebtedness, something like $2,000, on a temporary loan. When the handsome new court house, of which the county is so proud, was built, there arose a cry from the "poverty-howlers" that the bonds would never be paid. But now, within eleven years, the last of those bonds have been paid, without any undue burden on the tax payers. The new county officers who entered upon their duties with the New Year, did so without formality. The oath of office was taken, the keys and documents were turned over to the incoming officers by the outgoing officers, and the new officers fell into their proper places without a jar of the county machinery.

It has been understood all along that the steamer Tremont, Captain Conners, would take the place of the Mt. Desert on the Bar Harbor route. This arrangement has been abandoned by the owners of the Tremont, so that for the present at least there will be no boat on that route making connections with the Boston boat. Captain Archibald, of the steamer Silver Star, is contemplating running his boat later on as far east as Southwest Harbor on all days that will not interfere with her regular trips to Boothbay.

Piscataquis.

A Dover man who has kept a record of the weather during 1896 furnishes the following statement: Snow fell 35 days; rain fell 68 days; it was fair 191 days; cloudy (when it neither snowed nor rained), 53 days; it thundered on 13 days; the wind was north 17 days; northwest, 116 days; west, 17 days; east, 5 days; northeast, 54 days; south 3 days; south east, 51 days; southwest, 70 days.

The following is the report of the deaths in Dover and Foxcroft for 1896: Total deaths in Foxcroft, 18; total deaths in Dover, 22. Three oldest people in Foxcroft who have died during the year: Alvin Merrill, 82 years, 11 mos., 21 days; George Averill, 80 years, 4 mos., 27 days; A. J. Pratt, 78 years, 7 mos., 20 days. Three oldest people in Dover who have died during the year: Sybil Packard, 94 years 1 month; Sybil Dow, 91 years, 7 days; Joseph Stevens, 91 years, 9 mos., 8 days.

Washington.

Eastport Sentinel: Among the freight brought by the St. Croix yesterday, and which elicited a great deal of comment, were some twenty-five large sacks filled with what appeared to be pieces of stale bread, broken crackers, etc., which were consigned to Burling ... No one seemed able to tell what purpose, the contents of the bags could be used but, other than that it was designed to feed the Italians on the railroad in the early spring.

The steamer Rose Standish has made her last trip for the season and was put on the blocks at Heston's Cove. The steamer will, during the winter receive her usual overhauling under the supervision of Mr. Reede the engineer.

Have Bees Conscience?

This question was raised in my mind and answered in the affirmative by the following incident which I observed in the course of a country ramble on the coast of Devon, says an English writer. There were several small bumble-bees steadily at work among the many grey-colored blossoms which form a perfect flower bed on either side of a cliff walk on that lovely promontory opposite the little fishing-town of Salcombe. Each bee kept to his own particular flower, as (so Sir John Lubbock tells us) all well conducted bees should do. But one became puzzled by the likeness in color between black knapweed and purple thistles. His flower for this outing was evidently the knapweed, and when he had exhausted all its blossoms in the immediate neighborhood he was beguiled by similarity in color into trying a thistle, but on alighting he instantly discovered his mistake and flew about looking for more knapweed, which he might easily have found by flying a few yards further. Instead, however, he returned to the inviting thistle-head, and this time gave himself up with perfect abandon to its luscious delights, stifling the voice of conscience which, on his first visit he had so instantly obeyed.

These little bumble-bees well repay the time spent on watching their small, busy lives. On another occasion, when camping for the day in a fir wood, my sister became aware of two of these soft little creatures buzzing round and round the skirt of her dress in such a determined and spirited way that we felt they meant business and not mischief. My sister drew her skirt away, when the bees instantly made for a tiny hole in the bank, evidently their house door. Their gentle, persistent manner of making their meaning known to us was most striking.

Worrying a Bridal Pair.

"On my last trip home from New York," said a Chicago railroad man, "I witnessed about the most diabolical trick perpetrated on a newly wedded couple that I have ever seen in my years of railroading, and I have witnessed a good many. I will not mention the town, but two of the leading society lights of it were married this day that I am telling about. They were to take an Erie train for the West. At a station about thirty miles east of their town three young men boarded the train. Each carried a bunch of what appeared to be dodgers and each went busily to work distributing them through the train. These circulars stated that at the next station a newly wedded pair would board the train. The bride and groom were described in glowing terms so that there might be no mistake in identifying them. Ladies were requested to kiss the bride when she should come on the train and to congratulate her. Gentlemen were asked to take the groom into the smoker and there try to impress upon him that he had made the mistake of his life. All were requested to put their heads out of the windows when the train should arrive at the next station and to give three cheers for the couple.

"You should have seen how the passengers entered into the spirit of the thing. Every window on the station side of the train had a head sticking out of it when the train pulled up, and the cheers were given with a will. As soon as the bride entered the car a kindly old lady took her in her arms and kissed her and congratulated her. Behind her stood a line of ladies waiting their turn. Meantime, the groom had been spirited away, and the male passengers were making him miserable in the smoker.

"After a time the couple got together and compared notes. Then they left the train at the next stop."

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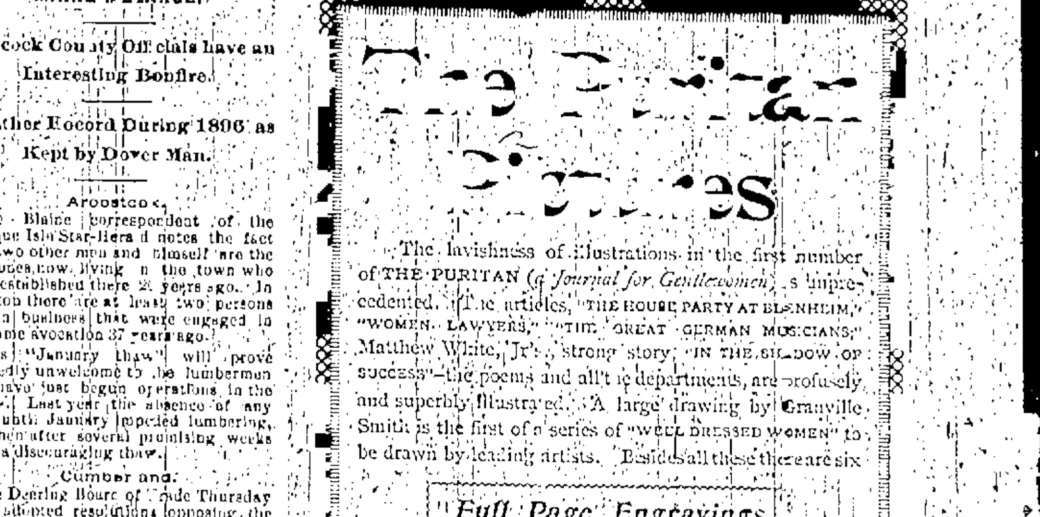

The lavishness of illustrations in the first number of THE PURITAN (a Journal for Gentlewomen) is unprecedented. The articles, "THE HOUSE PARTY AT BLENHEIM," "WOMEN LAWYERS," "THE GREAT GERMAN MUSICIANS," Matthew White, Jr.'s strong story "IN THE SHADOW OF SUCCESS"—the poems and all the departments, are profusely and superbly illustrated. A large drawing by Granville Smith is the first of a series of "WELL DRESSED WOMEN" to be drawn by leading artists. Besides all these there are six

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CITY AND VICINITY.

The Somerset Musical Society, at its meeting, Friday evening last, voted to join the Maine State Festival, which holds a meeting in Lewiston in October, and will be one of the greatest musical events Maine has ever known.

The first fruits of the recent revival at Calais were gathered into the Methodist church last Sunday, when two persons joined on probation. A larger number partook of the sacrament of the supper than at any time during the present pastorate.

At the Universalist church at Skowhegan, Sunday morning, six united with the church, the baptismal service being performed by the pastor. The whole number were received into full membership by the church. Communion services were held after the close of the regular service.

A new variety of bird, about the size of the English sparrow, is spending the winter in this city, says the Calais correspondent of the St. Croix Courier. The sparrow is contesting the hill with the new comer, and many battles take place. The new bird evidently belongs to a more northern latitude and will leave on the approach of spring—that is, if the sparrow will spare any of them to leave.

To the many friends of Skowhegan's violin virtuoso, Miss May Elise Fellows, it will be pleasant news to learn that this young lady is meeting with success in her concerts in New York this present season, rarely accorded any artist. Miss Fellows appeared in a concert at the Waldorf, Dec. 23, in connection with the world famed prima donna Mme. Nordica, the name of each appearing twice on the programme.

A special meeting of the stockholders of the St. Croix Shoe Company is called for Saturday at 10 o'clock a. m., to see if the stockholders will authorize the execution of a contract with W. C. Renno and J. A. Blake for the continuance of the business of the company, which proposed contract will be submitted to the stockholders at said meeting, and also to see if the stockholders will authorize the issue of additional capital stock. The call is made by the president and signed by the clerk.

At the request of road commissioner Estey, Charles E. Phinney and Willis McAllister measured the streets of Calais on their bicycles last week. The distance from Ferry Point bridge to the Robbinston line is 10 miles, and from Treat's corner, to the Baring line is 6 miles. In all the city has 50 miles of streets, and 10 miles of sidewalks. On the run to Robbinston the registering of the cyclometers on the two bicycles was compared with the mile stones and found to tally exactly. The streets were measured in a day and a half.

One day last week Judge C. B. Rounds, of Calais, received a telegram from Vanceboro asking him to defend the sender of the message in a suit, to take place next day. The judge telegraphed the party that he would take the case and be at Vanceboro the next day. A few minutes after the judge had received this telegram another came from the plaintiff asking him to appear in a case against the sender of the first telegram, which he was obliged to decline. The judge won the case for his client.

People who saw Barnum & Bailey's circus when in this city, last July, will remember William A. Showles, Jr., the most dashing and brilliant bareback rider with the show, in fact, known as the champion bareback circus rider of the world. Showles shot and killed a man at Red Bank, N. J., Christmas morning, and is now under arrest. The shooting was accidental, and one of his dearest friends, Ansel Croft, was the victim. Showles had a pistol with a patent attachment, warranted not to go off, but it did, and the bullet entered the side of Croft's abdomen and 12 hours later he died. Showles is charged with manslaughter.

Governor Powers' son Walter, only eight years old, has been in attendance at the State House, the past few days, keeping the run of events in a manner remarkable enough in one of his years, says the Kennebec Journal. While some of the balloting was going on, he got the returns and kept his father posted, taking great interest in the proceedings. Walter wrote a letter, a day or two ago, to his cousin in Houlton, son of Hon. Frederick A. Powers, in which he said: "Write me all about the political news. If anything new comes up let me know, and I will come home at once."

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The annual meeting of the stockholders of Union Hall Company will be held at their hall, ... in Bangor, MONDAY, January 11th, 1897, at 3 o'clock p. m., for the election of officers and such other business as may legally come before them.
CHARLES S. PEARL, Secretary.
Dec. 29, 1896. ... td

State of Maine.

Penobscot ss.—Court of Probate, December Term, A. D. 1896.

The Commissioners of insolvency on the estate of AUGUSTUS McEELRY, late of ... in said County, having made return of their ... to this Court for ... purposes, together with their doings thereon,

Ordered, that notice be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Bangor Daily Whig and Courier, a newspaper printed in Bangor, in said County, that they may appear at a Court of Probate for said County, to be held at the Probate Office in said Bangor, on the first Tuesday in January, A. D. 1897, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, and show cause, if any they have, why the same should not be accepted and approved.
JAMES H. BURGESS, Judge of Probate.
Attest: AMOS F. HAYNS, Register.
A true copy of the original.
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Jan2 3t

Legislative Notice.

To the Senate and House of Representatives:

The Penobscot Central Railway, respectfully prays that the proper street railroad, from Charleston, Garland, ... Corinth, Levant, Kenduskeag, and Glenburn to the City of Bangor may be so located in the City of Bangor, under proper restrictions, that it may make connection with the Maine Central Railroad and the Bangor and Aroostook, subject to the necessary provisions as to ... control and regulations ...

Bangor, Dec. 21, 1896.
PENOBSCOT CENTRAL RAILWAY,
By F. O. BEAL, E. C. LIBBY, AMOS F. GERALD, Directors.
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VEAZIE NATIONAL BANK OF BANGOR.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of this Bank will be held at their Banking Room, TUESDAY, the twelfth day of January next, at eleven o'clock A. M., for the choice of Directors and the transaction of any other business that may legally come before them.
A. P. TAYLOR, Cashier.
Bangor, Dec. 11, 1896. ... dec11 td

Harper's Magazine
IN 1897.

Fiction: The Martian, the new novel by Du Maurier, the eagerly expected successor to "Trilby," began in October Number, 1896, with illustrations from his own drawings. A new novel by FRANK R. STOCKTON—Ferhaps Twentieth Century Fairies, in ... with ... Leading Situations a Character ... illustrated. A Tale of Fifteen Years, by William Dean Howells. Other striking ... Letters by American Authors. Short stories by Mark Twain, Thomas Nelson Page, Richard Harding Davis, Owen Wister, John Kendrick Bangs, Ruth McEnery Stuart, Octave Thanet, Mary E. Wilkins, and other popular writers.

Science: Story of the Progress of Science during the Nineteenth Century, a series of papers by Dr. Henry Smith Williams, supplemented by contributions on special subjects by expert scientists. Articles on ... of curious psychological manifestations ... physiology by Dr. Andrew Wilson.

American Features: The Mexico of To-Day, a series by Charles F. Lummis, splendidly illustrated—the result of a recent visit to Mexico undertaken for Harper's Magazine. Mexico is ... a ... industrial ... and ... operations ... in ... ... Owing to the keen discussion of certain economic problems in connection with ... Harper's will ... Papers by Woodrow Wilson. John Bach MacMaster, ... Allen ... The true story of Sheridan's Ride, by Gen. G. A. Forsyth. Continuation of ... Personal Reminiscences of ... Americans.

Africa and the East: White Man's Africa, a fully illustrated series of papers by Poultney Bigelow, the result of personal observation during a recent trip to Africa, covering the whole field of European exploitation of that country. Illustrated articles by Stephen Bonsal on the transformation going on in Eastern Siberia, recently visited by the author. Hungarian Sketches, written and drawn by F. Hopkinson Smith. The full story of the recent Coronation of the Czar, by Richard Harding Davis, illustrated by R. Caton Woodville, who was commissioned by Queen Victoria to paint a picture of the ceremony.

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IN 1897.

With the end of 1896 Harper's Weekly will have lived forty years. In that time it has participated with all the zeal and power at its command in the great political events of the most interesting and important period in the history of the country, and it has spread before its readers the accomplishments of science, art, and letters for the instruction of the human mind and the amelioration of human conditions and of manners.

What the Weekly has been in its spirit and purpose, as these have been manifested principally in its editorial pages, it will continue to be.

It is impossible to announce with precision all that the Weekly will contain during the year 1897. It were as easy to announce what is about to happen in the world, what triumphs for good government are to be won, what advances of the people are to be made, what is to be the outcome of the continuous struggle between the spirits of war and peace, what is to happen in the Far East, what is to be the state of Europe twelve months hence, what new marvels of science are to be revealed, or what are to be the achievements of arts and letters, for the Weekly is to be a pictorial record of all this.

Cartoons will continue to be a feature.

Social Stories.—A New England story by Miss Mary E. Wilkins, will begin in January. A tale of a Greek uprising against the Turks, by Mr. E. F. Benson, the author of "Dodo," will follow. A sequel to "The House Boat on the Styx," by Mr. John Kendrick Bangs, illustrated by Mr. Peter Newell. ...

More Short Stories will appear in the Weekly than it has been possible to publish during 1896.

Departments.—Mr. W. D. Howells' "Life and Letters" have been among the most charming features of periodical literature. Mr. E. S. Martin and others will contribute observations on what is going on in "This Busy World;" "Amateur Sport" will remain the most important ... paper of its kind in the country.

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Next Symphony Concert AT CITY HALL, Tuesday, Jan. 12, 7.45 sharp. Reserved seats 35 and 50 cents. On sale at Andrews' Music Store, Saturday, Jan. 9th. Admission, 25 cents. jan8 ts

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LOCAL MATTERS.

Yesterday was the 82d anniversary of the battle of New Orleans.

Mr. G. F. Beale, of Bangor, has been appointed American Express messenger between Bangor and Caribou.

Mr. E. C. Connors, son of Mr. William Connors, of this city, has been appointed deputy inspector of customs, at Van Buren.

A telephone exchange has been established at Ashland, Masardis and Portage lake have also been added to the telephone system which now embraces nearly all the large towns in Aroostook county as well as many of the smaller ones.

The Catholic society at Caribou is making arrangements for two concerts to be held on January 26 and 27. There will be living pictures under the direction of Mrs. M. E. Leonard, of this city, and elocution and statue poses by Miss Sullivan, of Bangor.

A letter received in this city Friday announced the death of Theodore Wilder at his home in Brooklyn, N. Y., Wednesday morning of heart disease. He was a native of Wiscasset. His wife is a niece of the late Elijah Low and of Mrs. A. J. Burr, of this city.

The Floral and Benevolent Society connected with the Universalist church are to give an entertainment and dance at City Hall, Tuesday evening, January 19th. Pullen's orchestra will furnish music for the occasion. A very enjoyable event will be the result from the arrangement of the ladies.

The friends of Jeremiah McCarthy, the Bangor House hackman, will extend deep sympathy to him upon the loss of his wife, whose death took place on Thursday at their home on May street. The cause of her death was consumption. She was 31 years of age and leaves also a son to mourn her loss.

Invitations have been received in this city from Col. and Mrs. Israel B. Norcross, of Saginaw, Mich., for the 25th anniversary of their marriage, which will be celebrated on January 21. Col. and Mrs. Norcross are former residents of Bangor, Col. Norcross having been a well known and popular hotel man here.

Mrs. Catharine Colly Fuller, widow of George W. Fuller, of Charlestown, Mass., died at her home in Bangor Friday morning, after a prolonged illness, at the age of 56 years and 6 months. Mrs. Fuller was a native of Bangor and leaves many friends and relatives in the city. The funeral will be held in St. John's Catholic church at 10.30 o'clock Monday morning.

Bangor men will be interested to know that they can have a chance to hear the Apollo Quartette with its new member, Mr. S. H. Boardman, tomorrow afternoon. They are to sing at the men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A. building at 4 o'clock. This attraction, with Prof. J. S. Sewall as speaker, will call together a crowd. Prof. Sewall will speak upon "Life, What Is It?"

Miss Agnes M. Safford, of Deering, the widely known reader, will address the Bangor teachers on the subject of elocution on Wednesday of next week. There is a possibility that Miss Safford may decide to form a class in elocution in this city. She is so well and favorably known here that she needs no formal introduction to the Bangor public.

A Bangor citizen has just discovered that two of his pigs were diseased with trichinae, and he had the animals disposed of. He noticed that one of them was breathing hard and had them examined with the result that they were found diseased as stated. He had had them some time, or since they were six weeks old and was about to have them killed when the discovery was made.

The family of the late Mrs. Looney, who died in Bangor Friday morning, will receive the sympathy of many friends in their bereavement. It was only in September last they were called on to part with their father, the late John Looney. Mrs. Looney is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Joe Mackie, of Boston, and Miss Mary, of this city. The funeral services will take place at St. John's Catholic church Monday at 8:30.

The sociable at the Hammond street church last evening was very largely attended, much enjoyed and proved one of the most successful of the season. A delicious supper was served and a short time afterward the following programme was rendered much to the pleasure of the audience: Reading, Miss Davis; song, Mrs. Kirkpatrick; reading, Miss Flanders; song, Mr. Newton; reading, Miss Davis.

Miss F. Louise Horne, of Cambridge, the cornetist, who has played several times in Bangor, has returned to Boston, after spending the holidays with her parents. Miss Horne is now fitting herself for the position of soloist in the Fadettes orchestra of Boston, composed of 25 ladies. She has made a special study of playing the cornet and has taken lessons of some of the best teachers in New England. She is at present receiving instruction from Prof. E. C. Brown, of Boston.

Asher N. Wolper, of Bangor, head of the Lewiston Bargain store, died early Wednesday morning at the home of his brothers on Spruce street in Lewiston. Mr. Wolper went from Bangor to Lewiston on a business trip last Saturday and was taken with a severe attack of inflammation of the bowels, from which he did not rally. The funeral services were held Thursday afternoon and were in charge of Undertaker Vaughn. The interment was in the Hebrew cemetery at Auburn. He was 23 years of age and unmarried.

It is reported that the condition of Mrs. Genera E. Webber, who figured in the Clinton tragedy Monday night, and who it was thought had received fatal wounds from her husband's revolver, is now very much improved. Since Tuesday night she has steadily gained strength and hopes are now entertained that she may recover. Mrs. Webber now sees her children and talks with them and they all remain with her. Mrs. Webber has not yet been allowed to talk with any one outside and probably will not for some time to come. While not by any means out of danger yet there now seems to be an even chance for her recovery.

Mr. H. G. Flanders, of East Hampden, has completed the re-drawing of the plans showing the elevation of the famous fortifications Fort William Henry at Pemaquid. This fort was built in 1692 by Sir William Phips and was destroyed four years later by a land force of Indians under Casteine and three French warships, in command of De Iberville. A year or two ago Mayor James P. Baxter, of Portland, while on a European tour secured a plan of the fort in England. The original was executed by Col. Romer, a distinguished engineer, for Governor Dudley, at [illegible] in 1699. Mr. Flanders says that there was a settlement at [illegible] outside the fortifications at Pemaquid. The walls of the fort were [illegible]

SHOE FACTORY PROJECT.

Discussed at Special City Government Meeting.

Massachusetts Concern Withdraws Entirely From Negotiations.

Committee Recommended Proposition to Deal With Parker & Peakes.

Opinion of City Solicitor to be Had on Legality of Appropriation

For Erection of Building by City to be Used as a Shoe Factory.

A special meeting of the City Government was held last evening to hear the report of the committee on the shoe factory matter and to take what action was deemed advisable. A joint convention was held and Mayor Beal read the report of the committee, which was a lengthy document.

It stated that the committee had given a hearing on December 29th to President C. H. Jones, of the Commonwealth Shoe & Leather Company, of Boston, and gave the proposition of that company, which is familiar to our citizens. The report then told of the hearing given Parker & Peakes and their proposition, which has also been given in the Bangor press.

The report went on to state that the committee had concluded to recommend for favorable consideration the proposition of Parker & Peakes. In doing so, the committee tried to look with equity upon both propositions and there are favorable things to be said of both, said the report. The committee believed that everything else being equal their duty was to look with favor upon the gentlemen, who, by their own exertions, prudent and careful management of their business throughout all these hard times have been able to build up a business that pays out to employes over $3,000 a week.

The committee recommended the City Government to order the construction of substantially such a building, upon the lot owned by the city situated upon the line of the Hampden road and to appropriate $15,000 for that purpose to be used from time to time as needed.

The report stated that since arriving at the above conclusions the committee had received letters from the Commonwealth Shoe and Leather Company, which were given in full.

Under date of December 30th, President Jones of the Commonwealth Shoe & Leather Company wrote to Mayor Beal that he and Mr. Reed had gone over the facts ascertained in Bangor and it seemed to them that as there would necessarily be considerable delay in arriving at a definite conclusion and if the decision should be adverse to their proposition it would then be too late to accept other propositions, it seemed best to them to withdraw their proposition.

Under date of December 31st, Mayor Beal replied to President Jones stating surprise and that he did not believe President Jones meant to break off the negotiations quite so arbitrarily. He asked President Jones to give the committee a few days to present the case to the City Government.

The next morning the committee received the following telegram:

Whitman, Mass., Jan. 2, 1897.
To Hon. F. O. Beal, Bangor:
We must insist on our withdrawal. Will write you fully.
Commonwealth Shoe & Leather Co.

A letter from the company followed under date of January 2d. The letter contained the following:

You will remember that you and the other members of the committee stated in answer to my inquiry that it was impossible to predict with any certainty the action of the City Council, that on some political, or rather municipal matters, they were against you and in a majority.

The statement I noticed in the morning paper that the city had reached its debt limit, taken in connection with the inquiry of Mr. Blanding as to where the money was to come from if appropriated, together with the fact that an appropriation by the city for such a purpose is of questionable legality and might be contested even after the order had been passed, seemed to Mr. Reed and myself certain to leave the matter unsettled and open to attack for a long time even if the committee and City Government should take the most favorable view of it. There seemed to be no good reason for us to expose our company to this uncertainty as several propositions equally favorable had been received from cities where the money necessary for the purpose had been raised by subscription and the whole transaction could be closed in a moment by merely signing the papers.

We further ascertained that the proposed site if built upon in the manner you suggested would subject us to an excessive insurance rate on account of the exposure from the sash factory, and I do not see how the lot could be utilized to advantage without great expense for grading.

The report is signed by F. O. Beal, F. A. Porter, W. H. Gorham and E. M. Blanding.

After reading the report the mayor said that he considered President Jones' reasons merely a subterfuge and he thought that President Jones had found a chance to close with a better offer. He thought it a lame excuse. The mayor said he did not think there would be any legal complications, as, first, the city had a right to build on its own land and second, he did not think that 10 men could be found in Bangor who would go to court to prevent the construction of such a building.

Upon the suggestion of Alderman Wescott Mr. G. W. Parker, of Parker & Peakes, was called upon and answered a number of questions asked by the members of the City Council. He said that if they had a new factory upon the proposed lot they would employ four or five hundred additional hands; that they could not give a guarantee as to the amount of work, but would run as much as possible; that a location on the proposed lot would save much trucking, their trucking bill now being $1,000; that from one-third to one-half their present goods are like those of the Commonwealth Shoe and Leather Company, which is a sharp competitor against them; that if the building were constructed it would be their intention to put in $15,000 or $20,000 worth of machinery.

The Mayor made some remarks regarding the lease to the B. & A. railroad giving the road an entrance to the city and said that nobody expected the railroad company would enter Bangor; that the only way to the burying ground lot was straight up the Hampden road and the Maine Central controlled the tide water. The Mayor then read the following statement upon

When Can the City Make a Legal Contract?

I am aware that for me to attempt to discuss this subject in the presence of so much legal talent as we have here in [illegible] would seem so presumptuous [illegible] arrogance [illegible]

could defeat all municipal improvements. We have not been able to follow the law as laid down by that opinion, and no city government ever can. It would have worked untold hardships and have brought many law suits, besides discrediting the city in the eyes of the whole world.

It would have prevented the payment of $110,000 of debt brought over from last year. Many honest men might have been ruined by not being able to collect of the city what equitably belonged to them without a long law suit.

But knowing that the good citizens of Bangor would never tolerate repudiation, I have assumed the most of these bills to be paid.

Feeling that no man is infallible, and inasmuch as a chief justice of this State, and also a justice are reported as having given a lengthy opinion on cases in the Supreme Court, and then when it came before the Law Court have written opinions exactly reversing the first opinion,—I query if possibly our city solicitor may not change his mind upon further investigations. It is a significant fact that lawyers and even courts differ on the construction of law.

The law as given by the City Solicitor is based largely upon his construction of the constitutional amendment of limitation. As the law is now held to be, it would prohibit the city from making any contract, no matter how urgent, until the taxes had been committed the first of October, and not then until after the taxes had been collected, or an assignment made of them. Everything must be contemplated beforehand and the money in the treasury. This would necessitate the carrying of a large surplus, as the city could never tell when some calamity might come upon us requiring large expenditures of money.

Now, just what does the constitutional amendment say?

"No city or town shall hereafter create any debt or liability which, singly or in the aggregate with previous debts or liabilities, shall exceed five per cent. of the last regular valuation of said city or town. *Provided*, however, that the adoption of this article shall not be construed as applying to any fund received in trust by said city or town, nor to any loan for the purposes of renewing the existing loans, or for war, or temporary loans to be paid out of the money raised by taxes during the year in which they are made."

(It shall not be construed as applying to a temporary loan to be paid out of the money raised by taxation during the year in which they are made.)

What is made? Why, the taxes and the loan.

The law does not say what time in the year the loan or contract shall be made, whether it is before or after the assessment of taxes, but evidently contemplates that if the loan is made, it shall be the duty of the City Government to provide the money in that year's assessment of taxes.

Now, what is meant by the year in which they are made? What constitutes a year?

The opinion holds that it is the fiscal year which begins the first day of March and closes the last day of February. Others claim it is the calendar year from January first to December thirty-first. In either of these cases the city's hands are tied the larger part of the year.

Now, I submit, is it not possible that they are both wrong? May it not be possible that it is the taxable year which closes when the taxes are committed to the collector, or is supposed to close by law on the tenth day of October? If the tax year closes on the tenth day of October for 1896, does not the tax year for 1897 open with the dawning of October eleventh, and is it not competent for the City Government to make an appropriation every day thereafter, Sundays and holidays excepted, until the taxes are again committed, and so on year after year for all time, thus placing all towns and cities in a position to always take care of any emergency, so long as they are willing to tax themselves for it?

I believe this is the proper construction of the law. I might go into this matter in a more lengthy argument in support of this proposition, but I think I have suggested enough for a foundation for thought.

Alderman Ward made some remarks against committing a building, if constructed, to any one concern, although he did not doubt the sincerity of Parker & Peakes.

The members of the Board of Aldermen, at this point, returned to their room and accepted the report of the shoe factory committee.

Alderman Porter introduced the following resolve which was passed to its second reading:

Resolved, That the sum of fifteen thousand dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated from the incidental fund for the purpose of erecting a building on the lot owned by the city of Bangor on Main street opposite the Wood & Bishop foundry building.

Previous to taking action on the resolve there was a discussion.

Alderman Glass asked if an appropriation could be made from the taxes. It was a grave question and how was it about the Bangor & Aroostook railroad, did it not have a claim?

The mayor, replying, said that the B. & A. company did not have a claim as he considered it null and void.

Alderman Glass asked if the extension of time to enter the city, granted to the B. & A. company, did not have effect and the mayor replied that it did not.

Alderman Glass said that he believed the matter should go to the city solicitor. He doubted if the city could act in help of the business as proposed. He believed in Parker & Peakes, but did not think the Board would be authorized in appropriating the 1897 taxes when the 1897 City Council had not been elected.

The Mayor—The City Government is continuous and what we do is binding on it.

Alderman Glass—Then I understand you to say, Mr. Mayor, that the B. & A. lease is null and void.

The Mayor—I am satisfied that it is not worth a cent.

Alderman Porter—I would like to carry the alderman back to the time he voted for the appropriation of $30,000 for the filter plant.

Alderman Glass—Yes, I did vote for it, there then being no question as to the legality. When it was discovered that it was illegal we made it legal by a new contract.

The Mayor—Did merely changing the dates make it legal?

Alderman Glass—No. After the appropriation was made for the filter plant we made a legal contract.

Alderman Ward—The court of Maine has never decided concerning the constitutional amendment and how wide its doors are. I think it may be a good thing to build the building and look for a tenant.

The resolve was then passed to its second reading as above stated.

Alderman Ward introduced the following order upon which no action was taken:

Ordered, that a special committee be appointed upon the proposition for the establishment of a shoe factory in the city of Bangor be and they are hereby authorized and directed to secure plans and specifications for a building suitable for the purpose, to be erected on the lot owned by the city and to report to the City Council at an early day.

Alderman Glass introduced the following order which was a vote:

Ordered, That the City Solicitor be requested to submit at the next regular meeting of the City Council an opinion upon the question, "Has the city a right to make an appropriation as contemplated by the resolve appropriating $15,000 for a building to be used as a shoe factory or for some other manufacturing purpose and the sum to be taken from the taxes of 1897?"

In the discussion before the passage of the order the Mayor claimed that the question was upon the construction of a building, not necessarily a shoe factory, and that he could tell in advance that the city solicitor's opinion would be against it if the order read as it did. Alderman Glass asked the Mayor if he would advise constructing the building then. He said the people were interested in the matter as to whether they [illegible]

was laid on the table and the order passed by the upper board for an opinion from the city solicitor was passed. The following order was introduced by Councilman Addition and passed:

Ordered That the City Solicitor examine the contracts of the City of Bangor with the Bangor & Aroostook Railroad Company and report to the Common Council at its next meeting whether if the city should use the old burying ground lot on Main street for purposes of a shoe factory it would be a breach of the contract on the part of the city.

The Common Council concurred in all other matters with the upper board.

Other Business.

A communication relating to the Exchange street sewerage on the M. C. R. R. grounds was referred to the sewer board.

Charles A. Elkins was appointed a measurer of wood and bark.

THE PROPOSED STOCKYARDS.

Further News Concerning the Enterprise Which May Come to Bangor.

Mr. G. W. Maxfield, who is pushing the proposed stockyards and packing house enterprise, has just returned from Hancock county and reports that the best farmers and business men there stand ready to join in the plan. Next Monday evening Mr. Maxfield will appear before the Bangor Board of Trade and explain the plan to the members.

The Cattle Exporters and Butchers' Advocate of Montreal says:

Some little concern is being felt among Canadian packers at the apparent scarcity of light bacon hogs. This is caused by the abundance of small feed in the hands of the farmers of the Province of Ontario, and who are turning it into pork, rather, as they state, than let it rot. It is, unfortunately, much of the "penny wise and pound foolish maxim." The feed will not rot nor yet vanish by holding, but a farmer's substance will vanish if he insists on turning into pork one bushel of grain, when two-thirds of a bushel will bring about the same order of things. It is not quantity we want, it is quality.

The hog required should average 160 to 180 pounds of meat; instead of this the hog that is being received almost wholly runs up over the 200 pound mark. The hog that has brought Canada bacon into prominence in the British markets has been the light weight grade.

If our bacon is to hold the high position it has secured in the world's market, we will have to supply the class of goods required to fill this demand; then why insist on this improvidence?—for such it is—simply because feed happens to be plentiful.

Packers all through the country are remonstrating with the farmers against producing a too heavy hog and have backed their objections by a very substantial difference in price between the two grades, but so far without avail—the farmer has the feed and feels of [illegible] and while it lasts he seems intent on turning it into "fat pork," regardless of the consequences.

Regarding the above, Mr. Maxfield thinks that instead of "two-thirds" in the phrase "when two-thirds of a bushel will bring about the same order of things" that it would be one half instead; also regarding the hog running "up over the 200 pound mark" that it should be from the 200 to 300 pound mark.

Mr. Maxfield says this light bacon hog above referred to is what will be produced here. The hog is produced from light grains, barley, peas, oats, potatoes and all kinds of vegetables. The best and most natural feed is barley and pea meal with potatoes, which with the milk from the farms, will produce the most fashionable and best pork.

Mr. Maxfield says that we have a climate in Maine equal to Canada and 100 per cent. better than the corn belt for producing these hogs. Corn makes too fat a hog to meet the requirements of the market and this is noticed in the Bangor, Lewiston and Portland markets, where from $100 to $1,000 is expended weekly for Canadian pork.

Mr. Maxfield suggests that all the business men take hold of the project with interest and subscribe to the $100,000 worth of stock, which is necessary in order to get the enterprise here.

Sunday Services.

Crosbyville Union chapel—Sunday School at 2.30 p. m. Preaching by Mr. A. H. Black at 3.30.

Christian church, Hammond street—Rev. J. W. Grindell, pastor. Sermon at 2 p. m.; Sunday school at 3; Y. P. S. C. E. 6.30; gospel service, 7.

Young Men's Christian Association—Prof. J. S. Sewall will speak and the Apollo Quartette will sing in the men's meeting at 4 p. m. All men invited.

Independent Congregational Society, corner of Union and Main streets, Rev. S. C. Beach, pastor. Service at 10.30 a. m.; young people's union at 7 p. m., subject, "Secret of Strong Lives."

Universalist Church—Rev. [illegible], pastor. 10.30 a. m., preaching by the pastor; 12, Sunday school; 6.30 p. m., young people's prayer meeting, topic, "Seeking," I Thess. 5:22 and James 1:26.

Advent Christian church, corner of Center and Cumberland streets, George M. Little, pastor. 10 a. m., prayer meeting; 11.45 a. m., Sunday school; 2.30 p. m., sermon; 7 p. m., praise, service and gospel work.

First Baptist church, Rev. A. E. Kingsley, pastor. Morning worship at 10.30, pastor will preach; 12, Sunday school; 6.30, Y. P. S. C. E.; 7.30, evening worship. Pastor will preach; male quartette will sing.

St. John's Episcopal church—Rev. John McGaw Foster, rector—holy communion at 7.15; morning prayer and sermon 10.30 a. m.; Sunday school, 12; evening prayer and address, 4 p. m.; Bible class, 7.

First Congregational church, Broadway—Rev. Charles H. Cutler, pastor. 10.30, worship, the pastor will preach; 11.50, Sunday school; 6.30, illustrated talk to young people, "Our Heroes in the Orient"; 8, Y. P. S. C. E.

Central Congregational church, French street; Rev. John S. Penman, pastor. Morning worship at 10.30, sermon by the pastor. Sabbath school at 12; evening service, with special music, at 7 o'clock, address by the pastor; Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 o'clock.

Hammond street Congregational church, Rev. Henry L. Griffin, pastor; 10.30, worship, preaching by the pastor; 1.45, Sunday school; 6.45, Y. P. S. C. E. meeting; 7.30, popular people's praise service, large chorus choir, also short address.

Second Baptist church, Columbia street, Rev. G. B. Ilsley, pastor. Sermon at 10.30 by the pastor; singing by a chorus choir at the morning service; Sunday school at 12 m.; Junior Union service at 3.30; Baptist Young People's union service at 6.15; union praise and Gospel service at 7.30.

Grace M. E. church, Union street, Rev. Joshua M. Frost, pastor. 10.30 a. m., preaching by the pastor; 12 m., Sunday school; 3 p. m., children's service; 6 p. m., young people's service; 7 p. m., illustrated sermon, subject, "Connecting links between Time and Eternity."

First M. E. church, Rev. H. E. Foss, pastor. Morning service at 10.30, sermon by the pastor; Sabbath school at 12; meeting of the Junior Endeavor Society, at 4; Y. P. S. C. E. meeting, at 6; praise and prayer service, at 7 p. m. Mr. James H. Haynes will be present at the morning service and assist in the singing.

Essex street Free Baptist church—Rev. C. G. Mosher, pastor. Preaching service at 10.30, sermon by the pastor; Sabbath school at 11.45; pastor's Bible class at 12; Junior's meeting at 3 p. m.; A. C. F. prayer meeting at 6.15; evangelistic service at 7.15. Subject of morning sermon, "Three Himalayan Peaks of Divine Truth."

A Successful Occasion.

A supper and entertainment given under the auspices of the Y. P. C. U. of the Universalist church, last evening gave much enjoyment to the large number which attended. A delicious supper was served from 6 to 8. The tables were prettily decorated with banquet lamps, etc. This was followed by the following excellent entertainment [illegible]

MUSICAL PEOPLE, AROUSE!

A Call to Bangor Singers to Interest Themselves—Especially the Men.

Editor Whig and Courier: Mr. Homer Chase, manager of the Lewiston Festival to be held next fall, will be here Monday evening to meet the musical people of Bangor in the Third church vestry at eight o'clock. He will occupy a short space of time in telling us of the plans of the festival, after which there will be a rehearsal under Mr. Davenport.

It will arouse many of the older singers of Bangor to hear him tell of this festival and bring remembrances of the conventions years ago when eight hundred voices sang. Could Bangor do that now? Could we get one hundred voices?

Then people came from different towns, but Bangor was the musical center. Are we not able now to make it a musical center, both vocally and instrumentally? It lies with the gentlemen alone whether Bangor is to have a vocal organization or not.

The ladies are all enthusiastic and are waiting patiently for the gentlemen to wake up. Could every gentleman who sings have been present at the last rehearsal he surely would have received an enthusiastic spirit of singing from Mr. Davenport who made the evening one of rare enjoyment, explaining the meaning of each chorus which made the music of interest. One rehearsal would prove to the gentlemen that oratorio is full of interest under Mr. Davenport's able direction.

It is realized that nearly all the singers in Bangor are business men and do not make music a profession, hence cannot find time for rehearsing. That seems reasonable enough, but it is showing the proper spirit if one is truly musical to do all that he is able to advance the interests of music, business or no business.

Is it not a little selfish on the gentlemen's part, may they sing ever so little, to deprive nearly all the lady singers of this city of the privilege of singing chorus work?

Is it not depriving Bangor of a great pleasure in listening to a fine chorus after the drilling as it certainly will be under Mr. Davenport?

Is it not a disgrace to Bangor with all her musical talent to not send a chorus to Lewiston next fall? No other city in the State has more talent.

When we think of Lewiston drilling 200, Portland a Haydn society, Waterville a Cecilia club, Rockland a Philharmonic society, all to be represented at Lewiston, with towns like Auburn, Norway, and many others, would it be to her honor that Bangor is absent?

Do we not stand highest in our schools, in number of churches, in having the finest Y. M. C. A., the best symphony orchestra; why not stand highest musically?

Why cannot we have a musical organization? Because the men have no interest.

Ladies alone cannot make a mixed chorus. If that were so we would still have had a Cecilia club. Men as a rule narrow themselves down to business, excluding so many interests that broaden and help. Allowing themselves little recreation, and are too well satisfied with themselves, forgetting they owe a duty to others. Every one has more or less talent and in music especially where it gives so much pleasure to others it should have more attention.

God gave us these talents to use, not for ourselves but others. It is a duty we owe to the world to give them, the more the richer one becomes by nature. We will be adding one more glory to Bangor in being represented next fall. The music that will be rehearsed for Lewiston is the same to be used at our own festival in the spring.

Mr. Chapman, the leader, will be with us in May to rehearse the chorus as well as every chorus in the State that is to be represented at the festival.

The cultivation and appreciation of real music, music that is not trash, will be helpful and uplifting in the work we are to do.

Bangor singers, arouse yourselves to a sense of duty if nothing more and meet Mr. Chase Monday evening and have him realize we are not dead musically; that we may at least compare with some of the smaller towns.

The study class will meet at 7.15 promptly, instead of 7.30 as was announced.

Respectfully,
Mrs. F. L. Tuck.

Our Own Folks and Other Folks.

Hon. C. E. Oak, of Caribou, was in the city yesterday.

Mr. N. M. Jones, of Lincoln, has gone to Boston on business.

C. F. Woodard, Esq., was in Boston yesterday on business.

D. J. McGillicuddy, Esq., of Lewiston was in the city yesterday.

Mr. Frank Stetson, of St. John, N. B., was in the city yesterday.

Hon. E. B. Gardner, of Bucksport was in the city yesterday.

Mr. S. R. B. Pingree, of Lewiston, is in the city at the Bangor House.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. White, of Columbia Falls, are at the Bangor House.

General Manager F. W. Cram, of the Bangor & Aroostook railroad, left Friday for Boston.

Miss Julia Dillingham gave a small luncheon on Friday for her guest, Miss Wyman, of Richmond.

Dr. G. E. Hathorne, formerly of Bangor, is dangerously ill at his home on Crescent street, Augusta.

Landlord A. C. Jerrard, of the Jerrard House, is passing a week or two with his son, Mr. John F. Jerrard in Caribou.

Miss Mary S. Snow, superintendent of schools, went to Augusta Friday morning to speak at the Augusta teachers' meeting.

Mr. Nathaniel Purinton, the Maine Central Railroad ticket agent at Exchange street station, Bangor, is visiting his brother, Mr. William A. Purinton, the Bangor and Aroostook station agent in Caribou. He will remain there a week or ten days.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Adams and son Charles, of Bangor, were summoned to Caribou this week by the dangerous illness of Mrs. A. L. Leeman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adams. Mrs. Leeman remains critically ill and only slight hopes of her recovery are entertained.

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DOMESTIC PORTS.

KEY WEST—Ar 6, sch Louise Hastings, Albury, Bonacca.

BOSTON—Ar 7, sch Mary Lee Newton, Calais.

FOREIGN PORTS.

In port at Bermuda Jan 4, ship Cora, Fairbairn, Dalhousie, N B, for Rio Janeiro, awaiting crew.

In port at Hong Kong, Dec 4, ship Belle of Bath, Curtis; Lack Penobscot, McCaulder, both for N Y.

Ar at Kingston, Dec 30, sch Abbie C Stubbs, Whitney, N Y.

CHARTERS.

The inquiry for all tonnage continues limited. Sch 366 tons, white pine lumber, N Y to Havana, $4; sch 339 tons, sugar, Macoris to NY, $3 50 and port charges; sch 481 tons, kiln dried lumber, Wilmington, NC to Boston, $5; sch 713 tons, lumber and ties, Charleston to Boston, $5 and [illegible] respectively, coal out from Newport News; sch 1100 tons, coal, Norfolk to Providence, 75c.

MARRIED.

In [illegible], Jan 6, by Rev. M. Kearney, Mr. Henry M. [illegible] and Miss Eva E. Johnson, both of Bangor.

DIED.

In this city, Jan. 8, Catherine Colly Fuller, widow of George W. Fuller, of Charlestown, Mass., aged 56 years and 6 months.

Funeral at St. John's Catholic Church Monday at 10 a. m. [illegible]

In [illegible], Jan. [illegible], Mrs. Lizzie E. [illegible], widow of the late James H. [illegible], aged [illegible] years [illegible]

Funeral Sunday at 2.

THE TEMPERATURE. Atmospheric Conditions as Shown by Methodical Observations.

The following table gives the weather conditions as shown by the thermometer and barometer at Miller's Pharmacy:

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BEAR IN YOUR MIND THIS FACT. That you cannot be too particular where and of whom you buy your meats, especially at this time, when there is so much sickness among cattle. The only way to avoid getting diseased meat is to purchase at a clean reliable market, where every piece of meat can be [illegible] the U. S. Government inspection, thereby insuring the patron [illegible] it is from a healthy animal. You can always be sure of getting choice meats at LYNCH'S LEADING CASH MARKET, EXCHANGE STREET.

GIRLS with an order for 5 lbs. Tea WE WILL GIVE YOU A Pair Nickel-Plated Skates, or with an order for 10 lbs. Tea WE WILL GIVE YOU A Gold-Plated Watch. BOYS with an order for 5 lbs. Tea WE WILL GIVE YOU A Nickel Watch, —or— A Pair Skates, or with an order for 10 lbs. Tea WE WILL GIVE YOU A Gold-Plated Watch. TEA WHITE, Bangor.

MESSENGER'S NOTICE. Office of the Sheriff of [illegible] County [illegible] JAMES F. MALONEY, Deputy Sheriff, As Messenger of the [illegible] Court. Jan9 [illegible]

REAL ESTATE.

FOR RENT—The rooms on 2d floor, [illegible] block, over [illegible], lately occupied by Mr. [illegible]. Apply to A. W. Paine.

FOR RENT—Store No. [illegible] street, occupied by A. Lewis. C. H. Bartlett.

FOR RENT—Desirable house [illegible] St., on the electric road. Furnace, cemented cellar, hot and cold water, 8 rooms. Inquire at [illegible]

FOR RENT—Brick store No. [illegible], corner Independent, formerly occupied by D. Andrews & Co. Apply to CHARLES BARTLETT.

FOR SALE. House lots on Ohio, [illegible], Jackson, Montgomery, [illegible], Norfolk and Grant streets. [illegible]

Wanted, Lost, Found, To Let, Etc.

Advertisements under the head of wanted, found, to let, etc., not exceeding four lines, [illegible] cents each insertion when prepaid. [illegible]

GOOD AGENTS WANTED by a reliable firm to take orders for nursery stock of the finest quality. [illegible] salary and expenses paid. WHITING NURSERY CO., [illegible] Blue Hill Ave., Boston, Mass. jan19 [illegible]

WANTED—A situation [illegible] Apply for particulars to [illegible] City.

LOST—At society fair, Tuesday [illegible], a small gauze fan [illegible] found, please return to [illegible]

GIRL WANTED—[illegible] bookkeeper and [illegible] Box 75, City.

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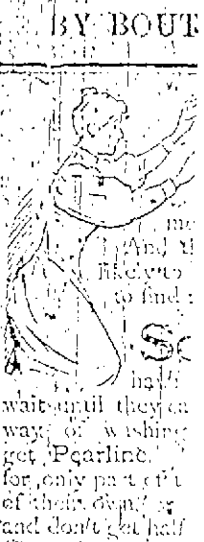

BY BOUT[illegible] wait until they [illegible] ways of washing [illegible] get Pearline [illegible] for only part of [illegible] of their dirt [illegible] and don't get half [illegible] Send [illegible] Back [illegible]

[illegible] A Vegetable Preparation for Assimilating the Food and Regulating the Stomachs [illegible] INFANTS [illegible] Promotes Digestion, Cheerfulness and Rest. Contains neither Opium, Morphine nor Mineral. NOT NARCOTIC. A perfect Remedy for Constipation, Sour Stomach, Worms, Convulsions, [illegible] and LOSS OF SLEEP. Fac-Simile Signature of [illegible] NEW YORK. EXACT COPY OF WRAPPER.

My impo[illegible] 2,000 pieces [illegible]

THE CO[illegible] ESTABLISHED [illegible] INCORPORATED [illegible]

HATS A[illegible] Our low prices [illegible] for Millinery [illegible] styles of the season [illegible] C. W. CO[illegible] Special Agent for [illegible]

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